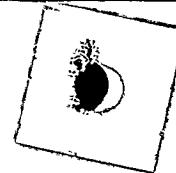


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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Seattle

Date: March 30, 1964

Re: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
SENATOR BARRY GOLDWATER -
VICTIM
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM
EXTORTION

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

Examination requested by:
Bureau

FBI File No.
Lab. No.

D-446242 IH

Reference:
Bureau airtel to Seattle 3/27/64 NL

Examination requested:
Document - Fingerprint

Remarks:

You will be advised separately regarding the latent fingerprint examination of Q1 through Q4. Q1 through Q4 will be retained in the Bureau.

Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)

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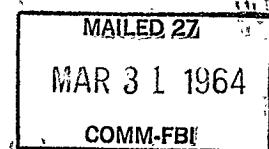
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5 MAR 31 1964

1 - Mr. Conley (Room 5714) (Sent Direct)

ADM: MRH (5)



Tolson _____
Belmont _____
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Sullivan _____
Tavel _____

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MAIL ROOM

TELETYPE UNIT

REPORT
of theFEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Seattle

Re: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
SENATOR BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM
EXTORTION

Date: March 30, 1964
FBI File No.
Lab. No.

D-446242 IH

Specimens received 3/30/64

- Q1 Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH. 28 27 FEB 1964" bearing handwritten address "Senator Goldwater, From Arizona, the White House Washington D. C."
- Q2 Accompanying sheet of ruled paper bearing handwritten message beginning "Senator Goldwater - You old war monger..."
- Q3 Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH. 28 18 MAR 1964" bearing handwritten and hand printed address "Robert McNamara, White House Washington, D. C."
- Q4 Accompanying sheet of ruled paper bearing handwritten message beginning "Robert McNamara you old war monger..."

Result of examination:

Q1 through Q4 were searched in the Anonymous Letter File without effecting an identification. Copies have been added to this file for future reference.

It was concluded that the questioned handwriting in blue ball-point pen ink on Q1 through Q4 was prepared by one person. Specimens Q2 and Q4 bear the watermark "HY TONE". This watermark is registered for the Western Tablet and Stationery Company, St. Joseph, Missouri. No indented writing or other physical characteristics were noted in Q1 through Q4 by which the source of these specimens could be definitely determined.

Q1 and Q4 have been photographed and are retained in the Bureau.

FMD:MRH (5)

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
SENATOR BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM
EXTORTION

File # 9-42073-
Lab. # D-446242 IH

Examination requested by: Bureau Airtel to Seattle 3/27/64

Examination requested: Document, Fingerprint

Date received: 3/30/64

Result of Examination: 3/30/64

Examination by:

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b7c

(1) No ident Q, → 4 with ALF added.

(2) Ident Q, → 4 by anyone (shown blue b.p. pen ink)
or they seen on "H. TONE & MFG. CO., Western
Robert L. Stationery Co., St. Joseph, Mo.
No ind m. or other phys. char noted Q, → 4 by
which source. ~~old~~ be by determined.

(3) Q, → 4 photo'd. Specimens submitted for examination

Q1 Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH. 28 27 FEB 1964" bearing hand-written address "Senator Goldwater, From Arizona, the White House Washington D. C."

Q2 Accompanying sheet of ruled paper bearing handwritten message beginning Senator Goldwater - You old war monger....."

Q3 Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH. 28 18 MAR 1964" bearing handwritten and hand printed address "Robert McNamara, White House Washington, D. C."

Q4 Accompanying sheet of ruled paper bearing handwritten message beginning Robert McNamara you old war monger....."

[Retain Q, → 6x in
Bureau or ~~Conley~~
PHOTOGRAPHED
3/30/64]

MAR 30 1964

cc-mr Conley fm
Lab. 3/30/64
FMD = mr

No ident A.L.F. (All 4, Washington State, U.S. + some states)

Q1 White Envio ^{RULED} Envelope containing no w. m.
Measures 3.55" x 6.0 "

Q2 Sheet of white tablet paper (ruled)
Measuring 6.0" x 9.0"
Contains w.m. HY TONE. This w.m.
is registered for Western Tablet &
Stationery Co., St. Joseph, Mo (or
Hulman Bldg., Dayton 2, Ohio)

Q3 White "seal seal" Env containing no w. m.
Measures 4.0" x 7.5"

Q4. Sheet of ruled notebook paper. Measures
7.9" x 10.0
Contains w.m. HY TONE.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Belmont

DATE: March 27, 1964

FROM : A. Rosen

SUBJECT: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
SENATOR BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM
EXTORTION

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Reference is made to memorandum from Mr. DeLoach to Mr. Mohr dated 3-26-64, captioned, "Unsub; 83½ Main Street, Room 224, Seattle, Washington," advising of a letter received in Senator Goldwater's Office of a threatening nature.

Late on the afternoon of 3-26-64, the Director, Security Service, Office of Secretary of Defense, furnished through liaison a letter of a threatening nature to the Secretary of Defense. This latter letter, as was the one to Senator Goldwater, was sent from Seattle, Washington. Cursory examination indicates they may have been prepared by the same subject.

Seattle Office has been instructed to conduct investigation, and the Laboratory and Identification Division will conduct appropriate handwriting and latent fingerprint examination.

ACTION:

For information.

1 - Mr. Kemper

Answered by Mr. Seattle
3/30/64

REC 28
EX-1001

12 APR 1 1964

COPY SENT TO MR. TOLSON

GHS:hw
7-7-64

TYPE 59 5:30 AM 31 MAR 1964 PM

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~~REC-24~~

F B I

Date: 3/30/64

Transmit the following in _____

(Type in plain text or code)

Via AIRTELAIR MAIL

(Priority or Method of Mailing)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI
 FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (9-1023) (P)
 SUBJECT: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
SENATOR BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM
ROBERT S. McNAMARA - VICTIM
EXTORTION
 OO: SEATTLE

ReBuairtel to Seattle, 3/27/64.

The following is a brief summary of information developed to date in this investigation.

The McNAMARA letter bears the return address of 77 Washington Street, Seattle 4, Washington, Box 33. Seventy-seven Washington Street, Seattle, is the address for the Lutheran Compass Mission, a welfare agency located on the Seattle skid row. However, inquiry at this agency reflects there is no Box 33 at this address and there are no numbered boxes of any kind.

The GOLDWATER letter has the return address of 83½ Main Street, Seattle 4, Washington, Room 224. This is the address for the Our Home Hotel; however, there is no room 224 in this hotel. The highest numbered room is 51.

Current and recent guests at the Our Home Hotel were discussed with hotel officials and attention has been focused on ROBERT ANTHONY ~~COLLINS~~, FBI Number 459 961B. ~~COLLINS~~ was thrown out of the hotel in February, date unknown, for attacking and beating the hotel manager and for other erratic behavior.

3 - Bureau (AM)
 2 - Seattle
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Approved: M. A.
Special Agent in Charge
56 APR 14 1964

Sent _____ M Per _____

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Further inquiry was made at the Lutheran Compass Center regarding COLLINS and it was noted that he appeared at this center on several occasions requesting assistance. The last time being March 18, 1964, which is the date of the post mark on the McNAMARA letter which bears the return address of the Lutheran Compass Center.

Background information on COLLINS is being developed and handwriting specimens are being obtained. The Bureau will be advised promptly of any developments in this case.

F B I

Date: 4/9/64

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plain text or code)Via AIRTELAIRMAIL

(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
ATTENTION: FBI LABORATORY

FROM: SAC, ST. LOUIS (9-1674) (RUC)

SUBJECT: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
SENATOR BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM
EXTORTION

OO: SEATTLE

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Re Seattle airtel to the Bureau, dated 4/3/64.

Enclosed herewith for the FBI Laboratory are one photograph and negative of a five-page letter, dated 1/30/61, and envelope written by COLLINS; one photograph and negative of a handwritten signature of COLLINS executed at the time of his enlistment on 2/12/52; and one photograph and negative of a handwritten signature of COLLINS executed on a Record of Emergency Data dated 11/25/53.

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A review on 4/8/64 by IC [REDACTED] of the military service records on file at the Military Personnel Records Center, St. Louis, Mo., indicated ROBERT ANTHONY COLLINS, SN 19 439 171, enlisted in the U. S. Air Force on 2/12/52, and entered on active duty on the same date at Seattle, Washington.

He was given an Undesirable Discharge on 7/7/54, as an Airman Basic at Travis Air Force Base, California, by reason of unfitness.

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3-Bureau (ENC. 8)
2-Seattle (9-1674) (INFO)
1-St. Louis
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Approved:

Special Agent in Charge

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He was tried and convicted by a Special Court-martial on 3/23/53 for absence without official leave from 1/22/53 to 3/17/53. He was sentenced to be confined at hard labor for five months and forfeiture of \$24 of his pay per month for a like period.

He was tried and convicted by a Special Court-martial on 11/16/53 for absence without official leave from 8/4/53 to 11/4/53. He was sentenced to be confined at hard labor for a period of six months and forfeiture of \$28 of his pay per month for a like period.

The following descriptive and background information was contained in the service records:

Date and place of birth:	2/28/30, Seattle, Washington
Height:	5'4"
Weight:	126 pounds
Race:	White
Hair:	Black
Eyes:	Brown
Complexion:	Ruddy
Build:	Medium
Distinguishing Marks:	Birthmark, right temple
Education:	Eight years of grade school
Civilian Occupation:	Anodic operator
Military Occupation:	Apprentice Fire Fighter
Addresses:	509 Columbia St., Seattle, Washington (5/13/60); 670 Stege Ave., Apt. 5, Richmond, California (11/25/53); 13026 8th South, Seattle, Washington (6/25/54)

Relatives:

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Employment: Boeing Aircraft Co.,
Seattle, Washington, from
1950 to 1952
VA Claim No.: C-18-473-382, VARO,
Seattle, Washington
Photograph: None available in the
service records
Selective Service No.: 45-7-30-102
Local Draft Board No.: 7, at Seattle, Washington
FBI No.: 459-961 B



OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20301

March 24, 1964

Honorable J. Edgar Hoover
Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

SUBJECT: Unknown Subject

Attached is a copy of a letter and its envelope, bearing the return address of Seattle, Washington, which was sent to the Secretary of Defense.

Because of its threat on the life of the Secretary, it is requested that this matter be handled expeditiously.

Sincerely,

William C. Hunt
William C. Hunt
Director, Security Services

Senator Barry Goldwater

Attachment

10 ENCL^{URE}
Attachment not
received with letter.
Furnished separately by
Defense 4:00 pm 3-25-64.

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ENCLOSURE REMOVED
REMOVED 3-27-64
EBF per FWD

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dated 3-27-64
3A C/S
61 MAY 11 1964

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: **UNSUB SUBJECT**
SENATOR DALE GOLDWATER - VICTIM
ROBERT D. DO NANARO - VICTIM
EXAMINATION

NO LAB THIS
File # 9-44072-6
Lab. # n-446242 III

Examination requested by: Bureau Airtel to Seattle 3/27/64

Examination requested: Document, Fingerprint

Date received: 3/30/64

Result of Examination:

Examination by: [redacted]

[redacted] will advise LPFS of disposition to be made of Q1-Q4 pls call [redacted]
when assyed, 3/30/64 2:00 PM JFJ [redacted]

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RETAIN Q1-Q4 in Bu files [redacted]

See other note for Q's & R's

Specimens submitted for examination

Serial 27

- Q1 Envelope postmarked "S-ATLANTA, GA. 28 27 FEB 1964" bearing handwritten address "Senator Goldwater, from Arizona, the White House Washington D. C."
- Q2 Accompanying sheet of ruled paper bearing handwritten message beginning "Senator Goldwater - You old war monger*****"
- Q3 Envelope postmarked "S-ATLANTA, GA. 28 18 MAR 1964" bearing handwritten and hand printed address "Robert McNamara, White House Washington, D. C."
- Q4 Accompanying sheet of ruled paper bearing handwritten message beginning "Robert McNamara you old war monger*****"

Q1-Q4 returned to Lab Files 3/31/64 apn LPFS

/ ENCLOSURE

Q1-Q4 to LPFS 3/30/64 2:15 PM apn - B-5

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Retained in God blue file to
serve 27

Photos $\text{O}_1 \rightarrow 11, K_5 + K_6$

origs $\text{O}_1 \rightarrow 7, \text{Oc}8, \text{Kc}1 + \text{negatives}, \text{Kc}3$

as prints made of K2 but photo's
K4 not photod.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Mohr

DATE: March 26, 1964

FROM : C. D. DeLoach

SUBJECT: UNSUB
83 1/2 MAIN STREET
ROOM 224
SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

Tolson _____
Belmont _____
Mohr _____
Casper _____
Callahan _____
Conrad _____
DeLoach _____
Evans _____
Gale _____
Rosen _____
Sullivan _____
Tavel _____
Trotter _____
Tele. Room _____
Holmes _____
Gandy _____

Attached is a letter postmarked Seattle, Washington, February 27, 1964, to Senator Barry Goldwater (R-Arizona), which letter was made available to Kemper in my office by [redacted] Administrative Assistant to the Senator.

[redacted] said that the Senator did not want to get embroiled in this matter and that if the subject is identified, he would prefer he not be interviewed until we could determine his background and then make a decision. b6 b7c

[redacted] said further that Senator Goldwater is going to be in the north-western section of the country within the next several weeks and there would, of course, be no objections if the Seattle Police Department knew about this letter on a confidential basis. It is noted that the letter refers to "hot lead" and "We must kill you and get you out of the way."

RECOMMENDATION:

Recommend this memorandum with attached letter be forwarded to the General Investigative Division for further action.

Enclosure

1 - Mr. Belmont
1 - Mr. Rosen
1 - Mr. Jones

ECK:dgs
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COPY SENT TO MR. TOLSON

REC- 31

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3-27-64

Airtel

To: SAC, Seattle
From: Director, FBI

UNKNOWN SUBJECT
SENATOR BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM
EXTORTION

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Enclosed herewith are three copies of a letter and envelope directed to Senator Barry Goldwater (R-Arizona) postmarked at Seattle, Washington, 2-27-64. The return address on this envelope is 83½ Main Street, Seattle 4, Washington, Room 224.

Also enclosed are three copies of a letter and envelope addressed to Robert S. McNamara, Secretary of Defense, bearing a postmark of Seattle, Washington, 3-18-64. The return address on this envelope is 77 Washington Street, Seattle 4, Washington, Box 33.

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From a review of both letters, it is noted they were both written in ink and cursory examination tends to indicate that both letters were written by the same individual. It is further noted that the general contents of both letters bear a marked similarity.

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The letter addressed to Senator Goldwater was made available to the Bureau by an administrative assistant to the Senator on 3-26-64, and the letter to Mr. McNamara was furnished to the Bureau by the Director, Security Services, Office of the Secretary of Defense on 3-26-64.

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Senator Goldwater's Office advised that Mr. Goldwater would be in the northwestern section of the country within the next several weeks and advised there would be no objection of the Seattle Police Department being apprised of the contents of his letter on a confidential basis.

Enclosures (6)

1 - [redacted] (Lab)
1 - [redacted] (Latent Fingerprint Section)
1 - Mr. E. C. Kemper (Room 5632) (Enclosure)
1 - [redacted] (Room 845RB) (Enclosure)

SEE NOTE PAGE TWO.

JAC:cjr (8)

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Gandy

Airtel to SAC, Seattle
RE: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
SENATOR BARRY GOLDWATER

Seattle should immediately conduct investigation at the above-listed addresses in an effort to locate and identify the unknown subject as well as immediately present to the U. S. Attorney for his prosecutive opinion. The original letters and envelopes are being examined by the FBI Laboratory and compared with the Anonymous Letter File, and latent fingerprint examination is also being conducted. The results of such examinations will be furnished to your office. The Bureau should be promptly advised of any developments in this matter.

In view of the fact that the letters threaten a Senator and a Cabinet member, Secret Service at Seattle should be advised.

NOTE:

Memo C. D. DeLoach to Mr. Mohr 3-26-64 set forth details concerning the letter received by Senator Goldwater. The letter received by Mr. McNamara was furnished to [redacted] in Liaison Section on 3-26-64.

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The FBI Lab and Latent Fingerprint Section should make appropriate examinations concerning both letters, which are attached. Seattle should be furnished results of such examinations.



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BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537

REPORT

of the

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO.

FBI FILE NO.

LATENT CASE NO. 49880

March 31, 1964

TO: SAC, Seattle

RE:

UNKNOWN SUBJECT:
SENATOR BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM
EXTORTION

REFERENCE: Buairtel to Seattle dated 3-27-64

EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: Bureau

SPECIMENS: Q1 and Q3, two envelopes
Q2 and Q4, two letters

No latent prints of value were developed on the specimens,
which are being retained.

Laboratory report separate.

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 Gandy _____

John Edgar Hoover, Director

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Recorded: 3-31-64/8:00am Laboratory Work Sheet Received: 3-31-64/cbg

Re: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
SENATOR BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM
ROBERT S. McNAMARA - VICTIM
EXTORTION

File # NO LAB FILE
Q-48073-9
Lab. # D-446242 III

LC#49380

Examination requested by: Bureau Airtel to Seattle

3/27/64

Examination requested: Document, Fingerprint

Date received: 3/30/64

Result of Examination:

Examination by:

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No lat prints of val dev on 3/31/64 (I, N or SN)
~~Spec's forwarded to Seattle~~
Spec's retained
Lab rep sep

Specimens submitted for examination

- Q1 Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH. 28 27 FEB 1964" bearing handwritten address "Senator Goldwater, From Arizona, the White House Washington D. C."
- Q2 Accompanying sheet of ruled paper bearing handwritten message beginning "Senator Goldwater - You old war monger...."
- Q3 Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH. 28 18 MAR 1964" bearing handwritten and hand printed address "Robert McNamara, White House Washington, D. C."
- Q4 Accompanying sheet of ruled paper bearing handwritten message beginning "Robert McNamara you old war monger...."

Anod
3-31-64
APC/mmt

Examination completed: Date 3/31/64 Time 9:00AM

Dictated: Date 3/31/64 Time apm
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Seattle (9-1023)

Date: April 14, 1964

Re:

UNSUB;
SENATOR BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM
EXTORTION
OO: SEATTLE

J. Edgar Hoover 4
John Edgar Hoover, Director

Examination requested by:

St. Louis

FBI File No.
Lab. No.

9-42073
D-447389 IH

Reference:

Airtel 4/9/64

Examination requested:

Document

Remarks:

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ENCLOSURE

Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)

1 - Seattle (9-1674) - Enclosure (Lab report)

1 - Mr. Conley (Room 5714) (Sent Direct)

FWD: MRH (6)

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**REPORT
of the**



**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

To: **FBI, Seattle (9-1023)**

Date: **April 14, 1964**

Re: **UNSUB;
SENATOR BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM
EXTORTION**

FBI File No.

9-42073

Lab. No.

D-447389 IH

Specimens received **4/13/64**

Kcl Photocopy and negative of a five-page letter dated 1/30/61, and envelope; photocopy and negative of handwritten signature executed at time of enlistment 2/12/52 and photocopy and negative of handwritten signature executed on Record of Emergency Data dated 11/25/53 all bearing known handwriting of ROBERT ANTHONY COLLINS

Result of examination:

It was concluded that ROBERT ANTHONY COLLINS, Kcl, did not prepare the questioned handwriting on Q1 through Q4 in this case. Kcl is retained.

FMD:MRH (6)

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RECORDED
4/13/64 MRH

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

NO LAB FILE

Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: UNSUB;
SENATOR BARRY GOLDWATER - KVICTIM;
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM
EXTORTION
OO: SEATTLE

File # 9-42073-10
Lab. # D-447389 IH

Examination requested by: St. Louis (9-1674) 4/9/64

Examination requested: 4/13/64 Document

Date received: 4/13/64

Result of Examination:

Examination by:

No indent Q1 → Q4 b7 kcl

kcl return

b6
b7c

Specimens submitted for examination

copy

Kcl ② Photograph and negative of a five-page letter dated 1/30/61, and envelope; photocopy and negative of handwritten signature executed at time of enlistment 2/12/52 and photocopy and negative of handwritten signature executed on Record of Emergency Data dated 11/25/53 all bearing known handwriting of ROBERT ANTHONY COLLINS

T② - Seattle (9-1023)
1cc - St. Louis (9-1674)
1 - Mr Conley 5714 (sent direct)

Lab Recd 4/14/64
FBI = recd

Kcl Robert Calhoun Coker

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P. S. for Lulu

~~WILLIAM CALHOUN COKE
BORN APRIL 18, 1858, IN THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.
DIED APRIL 18, 1918, IN THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.
INTERRED IN THE CALHOUN COKE FAMILY CEMETERY,
AT THE END OF THE CALHOUN COKE PROPERTY, IN THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.
THIS IS A COPY OF THE DEATH CERTIFICATE.~~

Mother D
for Sel D
Sel D

W. D. C.
J. W. C.
M. C. C.

W. D. C.
J. W. C.

W. D. C.

W. D. C.



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Seattle (9-1023)

Dated: April 9, 1964

Re: Unknown Subject;
SENATOR DARRY GOLDWATER-VICTIM
ROBERT S. McNAMARA-VICTIM
EXTORTION

John Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director



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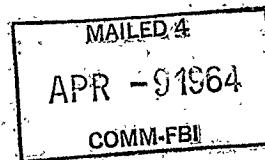
Examination requested by: Seattle

Reference: Airtel 4/3/64

Examination requested: Document

Remarks:

If additional examinations are desired, it will be necessary to obtain known handwriting of suspects in wording comparable to the questioned material.



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Gandy _____

Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)
1 - St. Louis - Enclosure (Lab report)

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Mr. [signature]

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: **FBI, Seattle (9-1023)**
Re: **Unknown Subject;**
SENATOR BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM
ROBERT S. McNAMARA - VICTIM
EXTORTION

Date:
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Specimens received
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Request received 4/6/64

Request for comparison of handwriting in this case with
signatures on fingerprint cards of ROBERT ANTHONY COLLINS,
FBI#459961B.

Result of examination:

The fingerprint card signatures of ROBERT ANTHONY
COLLINS, FBI#459961B, are not sufficiently comparable with
the questioned handwriting on Q1 through Q4 in this case
for examination purposes.

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Tele. Room _____
Holmes _____
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Laboratory Work SheetRe: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
SENATOR BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM
EXTORTIONFile # 9-42073 - 11
Lab. # D-446834 IH

Examination requested by: SAC, Seattle (9-1023) Airtel 4/3/64

Examination requested: Document

Date received: 4/6/64

Result of Examination:

Examination by

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law & 1/74 in this case of exam purposes

Specimens submitted for examinationRequest for comparison of handwriting in this case with signatures on
fingerprint cards of ROBERT ANTHONY COLLINS, #FBI 459961B

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FBI# 459 961 B

Robert A. Collins

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Robert Goldwater

FBI

Date: 4/3/64

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plain text or code)

Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL
(Priority or Method of Mailing)

Mr. Tolson _____
Mr. Belmont _____
Mr. Mohr _____
Mr. Casper _____
Mr. Gahan _____
~~Mr. Conroy~~
Mr. DeLoach _____
Mr. Evans _____
Mr. Gale _____
Mr. Rosen _____
Mr. Sullivan _____
Mr. Tavel _____
Mr. Trotter _____
Tele. Room _____
Miss Holmes _____
Miss Gandy _____

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
ATTENTION: FBI LABORATORY

FROM: SAC, SEATTLE (9-1023)

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SUBJECT: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
SENATOR BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM
EXTORTION

446834

Re Seattle airtel to Bureau dated 3/30/64.

For the information of St. Louis an anonymous threatening letter postmarked at Seattle was mailed to Senator BARRY GOLDWATER (R - Arizona) and a similar letter postmarked at Seattle was mailed to Secretary of Defense ROBERT S. MC NAMARA. Each letter contains threat to kill.

In the investigation to date a suspect has been developed: ROBERT ANTHONY COLLINS, FBI # 459961B, an unemployed laborer residing in Seattle.

COLLINS was the subject of a deserter investi-

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Approved: _____
Special Agent in Charge

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gation in 1953 (Bureau file 42-101469). The following background information on COLLINS appears in the deserter file:

ROBERT ANTHONY COLLINS, Air Force Serial Number 194 39 171, entered the USAF on February 12, 1952, at Seattle. He absented himself from duty August 4, 1953, at Travis Air Force Base, California, and subsequently was apprehended, date unknown. His date of discharge is not known. COLLINS is described as follows:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Nationality	American
Height	5' 4"
Weight	126 pounds
Hair	Black
Eyes	Brown
Build	Small
Complexion	Ruddy
Born	February 28, 1930 at Seattle, Washington

St. Louis is requested to review COLLINS' personnel file and obtain all samples of COLLINS' handwriting and forward these to the FBI Laboratory for comparison with the handwriting in the threatening letters. Senator GOLDWATER's office has advised the Bureau that the Senator contemplates visiting the Northwest within the next several weeks; dates unknown. In view of this, St. Louis is requested to handle this lead promptly.

The Laboratory is requested to obtain COLLINS' signatures on fingerprint cards in the Identification Division under FBI # 459961B and compare them with the handwriting in the threatening letters.

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Seattle is attempting to obtain all available handwriting of COLLINS.

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Date: April 15, 1964

Transmit the following in _____

(Type in plain text or code)

Via AIRTELAIRMAIL

(Priority)

Mr. Tolson _____
 Mr. Belmont _____
 Mr. Mohr _____
 Mr. Casper _____
 Mr. Callahan _____
 Mr. Conrad _____
 Mr. DeLoach _____
 Mr. Evans _____
 Mr. Gale _____
 Mr. Rosen _____
 Mr. Sullivan _____
 Mr. Tavel _____
 Mr. Trotter _____
 Tele. Room _____
 Miss Holmes _____
 Miss Gandy _____

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI, Attention FBI Laboratory (9-42073)

FROM: SAC, SEATTLE (9-1023) (-P-) 9-42073

SUBJECT: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM
EXTORTION

OO: SEATTLE

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K2
Re Seattle airtel to Bureau dated April 3, 1964.

Enclosed for the Bureau are the following eight (8) documents which contain the known handwriting and hand printing of subject ROBERT ANTHONY COLLINS, FBI # 459961B:

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1. One sheet from hotel register of Our Home Hotel, Seattle, Washington, which contains the name of suspect ROBERT COLLINS, in two places.

2. Registration card dated August 13, 1963, from the Lutheran Compass Mission.

3. Application dated September 13, 1954, from Bemis Brother's Bag Company, Seattle.

4. Application dated July 27, year not shown, from the Bemis Brother's Bag Company in Seattle.

5. Employee's Withholding Exemption Certificate dated July 21, 1954.

6. Undated letter and envelope postmarked January 31, 1964, at Seattle, addressed to [REDACTED]

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C.G.W.C.

CC Evans

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Approved: _____

Sent: _____ M Per: _____

Special Agent in Charge

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7. Xerox copy of application for Discharge Under Provision of AFR 39-17 dated May 19, 1954.

8. Employee's Withholding Exemption Certificate dated August 1, 1950.

The laboratory is requested to compare COLLINS' handwriting on the enclosed documents with the handwriting on the two anonymous letter in this case.

These documents should be returned to Seattle.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Seattle (9-1023)

Date:

April 29, 1964

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Re: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM
EXTORTION

OO: Seattle

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

Examination requested by:

Seattle

FBI File No.

Lab. No.

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Reference:

Airtel 4/15/64

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Examination requested:

Document

Remarks:

Enclosures (3) (K2, 2 Lab report)

1 - Mr. Conley, Room 5714 (sent direct)

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 Belmont _____
 Mohr _____
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 Callahan _____
 Conrad _____
 DeLoach _____
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 Gale _____
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 Tavel _____
 Trotter _____
 Tele. Room _____
 Holmes _____
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: **FBI, Seattle (9-1023)**

Date: **May 8, 1964**
FBI File No. **9-42073**
Lab. No. **D-448966 IH**

Re: **UNSUB;**

**Barry Goldwater - VICTIM;
Robert S. McNamara - VICTIM;
EXTORTION**

Specimens received: **5/4/64**

Request comparison of hand printing in this case with known writings of

Result of examination:

It was concluded that the questioned handwriting on Q1 through Q4 in the instant case was not prepared by the writer of the questioned handwriting on Qc1 and Qc2 in the case entitled "Threat Against the Life of President Lyndon B. Johnson By Anonymous Letter Postmarked at Reno, Nevada, 3/12/64."

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The fingerprint card signatures of
 FBI# are not sufficiently comparable with the questioned handwriting and hand printing on Q1 through Q4 in the instant case for examination purposes.

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Rosen _____
Sullivan _____
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Tele. Room _____
Holmes _____
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

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Re: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM
EXTORTION
OO: SEATTLE

File # 9-42073-12
Lab. # D-447829 IH

Examination requested by: SAC, Seattle (9-1023)

Airtel 4/15/64

Examination requested:
4/24/64 Document

Date received: 4/17/64

Result of Examination:

Examination by: b6
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No evidence found
Collins
in plts'd field

Specimens submitted for examination

K2 The following items bear known handwriting and hand printing of ROBERT ANTHONY COLLINS:

Page from Hotel Register

Registration card dated 8/13/63

Factory Application dated 7/27

Application dated 9/13/54

Form W-4 dated 8/1/50

Envelope and accompanying one-page letter

Photocopy of Application for Discharge Under Provisions
of AFR 39-17 PHOTOGRAPHED

Form W-4 dated 7/21/54

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Robert F. McNamara

Q. Day

The white House
Seattle Wash

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not so smart.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

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Re: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM
EXTORTION
OO: SEATTLE

File # 9-42073
Lab. # D-447829 IH

Examination requested by: **SAC, Seattle (9-1023)** Airtel 4/15/64

Examination requested: **Document** Date received: **4/17/64**

Result of Examination:

Examination by:

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*no prints made
negatives filed*
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Specimens submitted for examination

K2 The following items bear known handwriting and hand printing of ROBERT ANTHONY COLLINS:

Page from Hotel Register

Registration card dated 8/13/63

Factory Application dated 7/27

Application dated 9/13/54

Form W-4 dated 8/1/50

Envelope and accompanying one-page letter

Photocopy of Application for Discharge Under Provisions of AFR 39-17

Form W-4 dated 7/21/54



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Seattle (9-1023)

Date: May 8, 1964

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Re: UNSUB;
Barry Goldwater - VICTIM;
Robert S. McNamara - VICTIM;
EXTORTION

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

Examination requested by: Seattle

FBI File No. 9-42073
Lab. No. D-448986 IH

Reference: Airtel 4/27/64

Examination requested: Document

Remarks:

The handwriting on Qcl and Qc2 in the Johnson case mentioned in the attached report was considered as a unit in making the examinations in this case. The Johnson case mentioned in the attached report bears Bureau file #9-42131.

It is noted that [redacted] has been reported as admitting authorship of Qcl in the Johnson case.

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Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)

2 - San Francisco Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)
1 - Mr. Conley Rm 5714 (sent direct)
1 - Bufile 9-42131

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Callahan _____
Conrad _____
DeLoach _____
Evans _____
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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

To: **FBI, Seattle**

Date: **April 29, 1964**
FBI File No. **9-42073**
Lab. No. **D-447829 IH**

Re: **UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM
EXTORTION**

Specimens received **4/17/64**

K2 The following items bear known handwriting and hand printing of ROBERT ANTHONY COLLINS:

Page from Hotel Register

Registration card dated 8/13/63

Factory Application dated 7/27

Application dated 9/13/54

Form W-4 dated 8/1/50

Envelope and accompanying one-page letter

Photocopy of Application for Discharge Under Provisions of AFR 39-17

Form W-4 dated 7/21/54

Result of examination:

It was concluded that the questioned handwriting on Q1 through Q4 in this case was not prepared by **ROBERT ANTHONY COLLINS**, Kcl and K2.

K2 has been photographed and is returned to Seattle herewith.

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Mohr _____
Casper _____
Callahan _____
Conrad _____
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Trotter _____
Tele. Room _____
Holmes _____
Gandy _____

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: UNSUB;
BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM
EXTORTION

File # 9-42073 J3
Lab. # D-448986 IH

Examination requested by: SAC, Seattle (9-1023) Airtel 4/27/64

Examination requested: Document

Date received: 4/30/64

Result of Examination:

Examination by:

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LIFE OF PRESIDENT LYNDON B. JOHNSON
By ANONYMOUS LETTER POSTMARKED AT
RENO, NEVADA, 3/12/64!" (Bufile 9-42131)

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The original conf specimens submitted

Request comparison of hand printing in this case with known writings of

FBI # not suffi. comp with Q, → 4 know by
this case for exam purposes. It is noted that James
has been reported as admittng authorship of Oct ~~letter~~
in Johnson case.

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extra prints for 9-42131

cc Conley Am 5/14
Conley

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J Edgar Hoover
FBI Washington

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of Dallas.

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Date: 4/27/64

Transmit the following in _____
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(Priority or Method of Mailing)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42073)

FROM: SAC, SEATTLE (9-1023) (P)

SUBJECT: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM
EXTORTION
OO:SEATTLE

448986

Re Seattle letter to Bureau, 4/15/64.

For the information of San Francisco, Seattle is investigating two threatening letters to Senator BARRY GOLDWATER and Secretary of Defense, ROBERT S. MC NAMARA. The GOLDWATER letter was postmarked at Seattle, February 27, 1964 and the Mc NAMARA letter was postmarked at Seattle, March 18, 1964. Both letters contained threats to kill.

United Press International carried an article datelined San Francisco, April 24, indicated that [redacted] [redacted] age [redacted] was arrested at the San Francisco City Prison April 23, 1964 by Secret Service Agents on charges of threatening to kill President JOHNSON. The article indicates that [redacted] admitted mailing a four page letter from Reno on March 12, 1964 threatening the President. The article also indicated that [redacted] has been incarcerated at the San Francisco City Prison since March 20 on other charges.

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San Francisco is requested to contact Secret Service to obtain [redacted] available handwriting specimens and forward them to the laboratory for comparison with the handwriting in the threatening letters in the captioned case.

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② - Bureau
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2 - Seattle
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cc: wick

Approved: M. A. W. Sent: _____ M Per: _____
Special Agent in Charge

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE SEATTLE	OFFICE OF ORIGIN SEATTLE	DATE JUN 3 1964	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 3/28/64 - 5/25/64
TITLE OF CASE UNKNOWN SUBJECT BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM; ROBERT S. McNAMARA - VICTIM		REPORT MADE BY SA [redacted]	TYPED BY b6 b7C jm
		CHARACTER OF CASE EXTORTION	

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REFERENCE: Bureau airtel to Seattle, dated 3/27/64; Seattle airtel to Bureau, dated 3/30/64; Bureau letter to Seattle, dated 3/30/64; Bureau letter to Seattle, dated 4/9/64; Bureau letter to Seattle, dated 4/14/64; Seattle letter to Bureau, dated 4/27/64; and Bureau letter to Seattle, dated 5/8/64.

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ENCLOSURES:To Washington Field Office:

One (1) Xerox copy of both letters and envelopes of instant case.

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SPECIAL AGENT
IN CHARGE

COPIES MADE:

Murphy

- ③ - Bureau (9-42073) (AM)
- 1 - US Secret Service, Seattle
- 1 - USA, Seattle
- 2 - San Francisco
- 2 - Washington Field Office
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- 2 - Seattle (9-1023)

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ADMINISTRATIVE:

Three copies of this report are furnished to the Bureau in view of the prominence of the victims and in view of the possibility the Bureau may desire to disseminate.

Extensive inquiries were made regarding suspect ROBERT ANTHONY COLLINS prior to the time the Laboratory concluded that he did not prepare the threatening letters in this case. Accordingly, the investigation regarding COLLINS has been briefly summarized in this report.

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LEADS:

WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE
At Washington, D.C.

Will contact the Protective Research Section of US Secret Service Headquarters, regarding suspect JOHN H. CUNNINGHAM, Secret Service File No. CO-2-33809. Will obtain copies of any of CUNNINGHAM's handwriting in the files of the Protective Research Section and forward them to the Laboratory for comparison with the anonymous letters in this case.

Will furnish to the Protective Research Section, Xerox copies of the two threatening letters in this case and request that they be compared with threatening letters previously submitted to the Protective Research Section.

SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION
At San Francisco, California

It will be noted that the Laboratory concluded that the author of the threatening letter mailed to President LYNDEN B. JOHNSON from Reno, Nevada, did not prepare the two threatening letters in this case. [redacted]

[redacted] FBI No. [redacted], has been arrested by US Secret Service at San Francisco and charged with threatening the life of the President. San Francisco is requested to contact US Secret Service at San Francisco and ascertain whether or not [redacted] has admitted authorship of the threatening letter to President JOHNSON. If this can be established, no further consideration will be afforded [redacted] as a suspect in this case.

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SEATTLE DIVISION
At Seattle, Washington

Will review the records of the King County Coroner's Office to fully identify PAUL W. JOHNSON and obtain background information regarding him. Will review his personal affects in an attempt to obtain specimens of his handwriting for comparison with the anonymous letters in this case.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: 1 - US Secret Service, Seattle
 1 - USA, Seattle

Report of: SA [redacted] **Office:** Seattle, Washington
Date: JUN 3 1964

Field Office File No.: 9-1023 **Bureau File No.:** 9-42073

Title: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
 BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
 ROBERT S. McNAMARA - VICTIM

Character: EXTORTION

Synopsis:

Anonymous letter postmarked 2/27/64, Seattle, Washington, sent to Senator BARRY GOLDWATER. Anonymous letter postmarked 3/18/64 at Seattle, Washington, sent to Secretary of Defense ROBERT S. McNAMARA. Both letters contained threats and both prepared by the same person. USA, Seattle, will authorize prosecution if the unknown subject can be identified. ROBERT ANTHONY COLLINS, FBI No. 459961B, eliminated as a suspect. [redacted]

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FBI No. [redacted] considered as a suspect as a result of his arrest at San Francisco, 4/23/64, in connection with a threatening letter sent to President LYNDEN B. JOHNSON. PAUL W. JOHNSON, not further identified, found dead at Our Home Hotel, Seattle, 4/6/64. JOHN H. CUNNINGHAM, FBI No. 868007C, considered as a suspect as a result of correspondence with Central Intelligence Agency in which JOHNSON used an alias and an incorrect address.

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DETAILS:

This investigation was predicated upon a letter addressed to Senator BARRY GOLDWATER, Arizona, which was made available to the Federal Bureau of Investigation by an Administrative Assistant to Senator GOLDWATER on March 26, 1964.

This letter was postmarked February 27, 1964, at Seattle, Washington, and has the return address "83½ Main St. Seattle 4, Wash. Room 224." The envelope is addressed as follows:

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"Senator GOLDWATER,
From Arizona,
the White House
Washington
D.C."

The contents of this letter are as follows:

"Senator GOLDWATER---

"You old war monger why did'nt you come to Seattle. We was waiting for you with lots of Hot lead. You are too rotten to live. Your days are Numbered. You are so rotten you stink. We will get you sooner or later.

"You are so low down. You would rape your own mother. We must kill you and get you out of the way.

"You old War monger you are a murderer. You are not fit to live.

"from the Committy for Peace
Seattle Washington

"We hate War Mongers like You."

Also, on March 26, 1964, the Director of Security Services, Office of the Secretary of Defense, made available to the Federal Bureau of Investigation a letter which was addressed to Secretary of Defense ROBERT S. McNAMARA. This letter was postmarked March 18, 1964, at Seattle, Washington, and had the return address of "77 Washington St., Seattle 4, Wash., Box 33." It was addressed as follows:

"ROBERT McNAMARA,
White House
Washington
D.C.
Security"

The contents of the McNAMARA letter are as follows:

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"Seattle, Wash.
3-17-64.

"ROBERT McNAMARA You old War monger
this is the last time we will--warn you,
you rotten old war monger. the next
thing will be Bullets--right in-to your
rotten old head We got Your Number
the undertaker will have you before
long, You are a rotten War Monger
murderer trouble maker the lowest in
the World. We are not fooling. We
mean Business Keep your nose out of
other Peoples Business and get all the
American troops out of south Vietnam
at once if you want to live if you
dont--your time is short you rotten
old War monger

"We are for Peace and against War.
We don't want War Mongers to live they
must die. So you better change your
ways right--now before its too late."

On March 28, 1964, the contents of both letters
were read to United States Attorney WILLIAM N. GOODWIN,
and he advised that he would authorize prosecution if the
unknown subject can be identified, in view of the threats
contained in the letters.

On April 5, 1964, copies of both letters
were furnished to United States Secret Service, Seattle.
On April 8, 1964, copies of both letters were furnished
to the Seattle Police Department.

The following is the results of the initial
examination of the threatening letters in this case by
the FBI Laboratory:

SE 9-1023

Specimens received 3/30/64

- Q1 Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH. 28 27 FEB 1964" bearing handwritten address "Senator Goldwater, From Arizona, the White House Washington D. C."
- Q2 Accompanying sheet of ruled paper bearing handwritten message beginning "Senator Goldwater - You old war monger..."
- Q3 Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH. 28 18 MAR 1964" bearing handwritten and hand printed address "Robert McNamara, White House Washington, D. C."
- Q4 Accompanying sheet of ruled paper bearing handwritten message beginning "Robert McNamara you old war monger..."

Result of examination:

Q1 through Q4 were searched in the Anonymous Letter File without effecting an identification. Copies have been added to this file for future reference.

It was concluded that the questioned handwriting in blue ball-point pen ink on Q1 through Q4 was prepared by one person. Specimens Q2 and Q4 bear the watermark "HY TONE". This watermark is registered for the Western Tablet and Stationery Company, St. Joseph, Missouri. No indented writing or other physical characteristics were noted in Q1 through Q4 by which the source of these specimens could be definitely determined.

Q1 and Q4 have been photographed and are retained in the Bureau.

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By communication dated March 31, 1964, the Latent Fingerprint Section of the Identification Division advised that no latent prints of value were developed on the specimens in this matter.

On March 28, 1964, [REDACTED] [REDACTED] Lutheran Compass Center, 77 Washington Street, Seattle, Washington, advised that his Center is a Welfare Agency, located on the Seattle skid row, however, there is no Box 33 at this address and no numbered boxes of any kind. He stated there are no numbered rooms in the building. [REDACTED] advised that the Center furnishes free meals and lodging to frequenters of the skid row and that most of the people staying at this center are on a transient basis. He stated the lodging consists of beds in two large dormitories. [REDACTED] stated that the center does furnish stationery and envelopes to anyone requesting these items. [REDACTED] made available samples of this stationery, which is white unlined paper.

On March 28, 1964, [REDACTED] Our Home Hotel, 83½ Main Street, Seattle, Washington, advised that this hotel has no Room 224. He stated the highest numbered room is 51.

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[REDACTED] stated that this hotel caters to frequenters of the Seattle skid row and that they have very few regular guests, most of the business being on a transient basis. [REDACTED] stated that he knows of no one at the hotel who has written to public officials or who has expressed a particular interest in United States Foreign Policy or international affairs.

Robert Collins ~~SUSPECTS~~

RE: ROBERT ANTHONY COLLINS BORN February 28, 1930, Seattle, WA

Investigation of COLLINS as a suspect was predicated upon information furnished by [REDACTED] of the Our Home Hotel, 83½ Main Street, and [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] of the Our Home Hotel. They advised that COLLINS was thrown out of the Our Home Hotel in February, exact date unknown, for attacking and beating the Hotel Manager, and for generally erratic behavior. They stated

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that COLLINS wrote to a Seattle newspaper while at this hotel.

On March 28, 1964, further inquiry was made at the Lutheran Compass Center, 77 Washington Street, and a record was located for ROBERT COLLINS. It was noted that COLLINS appeared at this center on six occasions for financial assistance, beginning on August 13, 1963, and the last visit was March 18, 1964, which was the date the McNAMARA letter was postmarked at Seattle and which letter bore the return address of this center.

Records of the Seattle Police Department were reviewed and it was noted that ROBERT ANTHONY COLLINS has FBI number 459961B, and was born February 28, 1930, at Seattle, Washington.

Copies of COLLINS' handwriting appearing in United States Air Force records, were obtained and forwarded to the FBI Laboratory for comparison with the handwriting on the threatening letters in this case. Air Force records indicate that ROBERT ANTHONY COLLINS has serial number 19439171.

By communication dated April 14, 1964, the FBI Laboratory furnished the following report:

"Kcl Photocopy and negative of a five-page letter dated 1/30/61, and envelope; photocopy and negative of handwritten signature executed at time of enlistment 2/12/52 and photocopy and negative of handwritten signature executed on Record of Emergency Data dated 11/25/53 all bearing known handwriting of ROBERT ANTHONY COLLINS

"Result of examination:

"It was concluded that ROBERT ANTHONY COLLINS, Kcl, did not prepare the questioned handwriting on Q1 through Q4 in this case. Kcl is retained."

Eight documents containing the known handwriting of COLLINS were obtained at places of employment and other sources in the Seattle area and forwarded to the FBI Laboratory by communication dated April 15, 1964.

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By communication dated April 29, 1964, the FBI Laboratory advised as follows:

"K2 The following items bear known handwriting and hand printing of ROBERT ANTHONY COLLINS:

"Page from Hotel Register

Registration card dated 8/13/63

Factory Application dated 7/27

Application dated 9/13/54

Form W-4 dated 8/1/50

Envelope and accompanying one-page letter

Photocopy of Application for Discharge Under
Provisions of AFR 39-17

Form W-4 dated 7/21/54

"Result of examination:

"It was concluded that the questioned handwriting on Q1 through Q4 in this case was not prepared by ROBERT ANTHONY COLLINS, Kcl and K2."

No further investigation is being conducted regarding ROBERT ANTHONY COLLINS.

RE: [redacted]

B. APPROX. [redacted]

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United Press International carried an article dateline San Francisco, April 24, 1964, indicating that [redacted] age [redacted] was arrested at the San Francisco City Prison April 23, 1964, by Secret Service agents on charges of threatening to kill President JOHNSON. The article indicates that [redacted] admitted mailing a four-page letter from Reno, Nevada, on March 12, 1964, threatening the President. The article also indicates that [redacted] has been incarcerated at the San Francisco City Prison since March 20, 1964, on other charges.

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By communication dated May 8, 1964, the FBI Laboratory furnished the following report:

"Request comparison of hand printing in this case with known writings of [redacted]

"Result of examination:

"It was concluded that the questioned handwriting on Q1 through Q4 in the instant case was not prepared by the writer of the questioned handwriting on Qc1 and Qc2 in the case entitled 'Threat Against the Life of President LYNDON B. JOHNSON By Anonymous Letter Postmarked at Reno, Nevada, 3/12/64.'

The fingerprint card signatures of [redacted] [redacted] FBI# [redacted] are not sufficiently comparable with the questioned handwriting and hand printing on Q1 through Q4 in the instant case for examination purposes."

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RE: PAUL W. JOHNSON

Investigation of this suspect is based upon information contained in files of Seattle Police Department. Police records indicate that at 5:10 p.m. on April 4, 1964, a man identified only as PAUL W. JOHNSON was found dead in Room 37 of the Our Home Hotel, 83½ Main Street, Seattle. The police report indicates that he was found hanging to a bedstead with a necktie and that he had numerous cuts on his throat and wrists. JOHNSON is described in police records as white, male, and approximately 60 years old. The police record indicates that he was on welfare.

On May 25, 1964, [redacted] of the Our Home Hotel, advised that he was not well acquainted with PAUL W. JOHNSON. He stated that JOHNSON resided at this hotel in Room 37 for approximately six months until he was found dead on April 6, 1964. He advised that JOHNSON was very quiet and had no other friends in the hotel, although on occasions when drunk he would cause minor disturbances among the other guests. He advised that JOHNSON was on welfare and the only mail received at the hotel by JOHNSON were his welfare checks.

[redacted] said he knows of no relatives or associates of JOHNSON and no places of employment.

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On May 25, 1964, [redacted] of the Our Home Hotel, was contacted regarding PAUL W. JOHNSON. [redacted] advised that he had very limited contact with JOHNSON and knows nothing of JOHNSON's background or his activities prior to his death in April. He stated that [redacted] who lives in Room [redacted] of this hotel probably had more contact with JOHNSON than anyone else and perhaps knows JOHNSON's full identity. He said it was [redacted] who reported hearing a noise in JOHNSON's room at the time JOHNSON was found dead.

RE: JOHN H. CUNNINGHAM AKA John Johnson

On May 25, 1964, [redacted] Special Agent in Charge of the Secret Service Office, Seattle, Washington, made available information in the files of his office concerning JOHN H. CUNNINGHAM. CUNNINGHAM resides at Room 525, Central YMCA, Seattle. He has written numerous letters to the Secret Service, most of which have been forwarded to the Protective Research Section at the Secret Service Headquarters in Washington, D.C., for indexing and filing. CUNNINGHAM has Secret Service File number CO-2-33809. He has FBI number 868007C, United States Air Force Serial number 33298572, and Veterans Administration number C4354616.

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The file reflects that CUNNINGHAM is described as "paranoid schizophrenic and incompetent."

[redacted] He receives 100 per cent disability from the Veterans Administration. There is a notation that he was committed to the Veterans Administration Hospital, Seattle, on January 7, 1964. The most recent letter from CUNNINGHAM to Secret Service is dated May 7, 1964, at Seattle, but this is typewritten.

CUNNINGHAM is described as white, male, American, born February 4, 1918, at Greenville, Pennsylvania. He is listed as 5'8" tall, 200 pounds, with blue eyes and dark brown hair. He has Selective Service number 170-14-0798.

The Secret Service file reflects that CUNNINGHAM addressed a letter to the Central Intelligence Agency,

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using the name JOHN JOHNSON and the return address
as the Olympic Hotel, Seattle.

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Date: 6/18/64

Transmit the following in _____
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(Priority)

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42073)
FROM: SAC, WFO (9-1582) (P) **ATTN; FBI LABORATORY**

UNSUB:
 BARRY GOLDWATER,
 ROBERT S. McNAMARA - VICTIMS
 EXTORTION
 (OO:SE)

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Rerep. of SA [redacted] dated 6/3/64 at SE.

Enclosed herewith are 6 xerox copies of the signature of JOHN M. CUNNINGHAM which were made available by [redacted], Protective Research Section, U. S. Secret Service, Room 94, Executive Office Building, 17th and Pennsylvania Avenue, N. W. on 6/17/64.

CUNNINGHAM's file disclosed he was committed to Veterans Administration Hospital on 1/7/64, 4935 Beacon Avenue, South, Seattle, Washington, on complaint of Mental Division of Seattle Police Department.

Secret Service file shows CUNNINGHAM to be paranoid schizophrenic receiving 100 % veterans disability compensation.

Anonymous letters postmarked 2/27/64 and 3/18/64 at Seattle, Washington, sent to Senator BARRY GOLDWATER and Secretary of Defense ROBERT S. McNAMARA respectively were furnished [redacted]. Both letters contained threats and were prepared by the same person according to FBI Laboratory.

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The Laboratory is requested to make a handwriting comparison of the signature of JOHN H. CUNNINGHAM with threatening letters previously furnished by the Seattle Division in this case.

The results of this examination should be made available to the office of origin.

It is not necessary that the Laboratory return the enclosed signature to WFO.

[redacted] was furnished with xerox copies of the two threatening letters in this case and requested that they be compared with threatening letters previously submitted to the Protective Research Section.

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WASHINGTON FIELD. Will report results of Secret Service visual file comparison of threatening letters in this case with letters in the files of the Protective Research Section, U. S. Secret Service.



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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To: FBI, Washington Field Office
(9-1582)

Date:

June 19, 1964

Re: UNSUB; BARRY GOLDWATER,
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA -
VICTIMS
EXTORTION

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

OO: Seattle

FBI File No.
Lab. No.

9-42073
D-452352 IH

Examination requested by:

Washington Field Office

Reference:

Airtel 6-18-64

Examination requested:

Document

Remarks:

For your investigative assistance, it is pointed out that nothing of particular significance was noted as a result of the comparison of Kc3 with Q1 through Q4.

ENCLOSURE (2)

Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)

2 - Washington Field Office (9-1023) Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)

Note copy sent to Se by R.A. 10/14/64

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REPORT
of theFEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Washington Field Office
Re: UNSUB; BARRY GOLDWATER,
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIMS
EXTORTION

Date: June 19, 1964
FBI File No. 9-42073
Lab. No. D-452352 IH

Specimens received

6-18-64

Kc3 Six Xerox copies of documents bearing known signatures of JOHN M. CUNNINGHAM, obtained from Protective Research Section, U. S. Secret Service, Washington, D. C.

Result of examination:

The known signatures of JOHN M. CUNNINGHAM appearing on Kc3, are not sufficiently comparable with the questioned handwriting on Q1 through Q4 for examination purposes.

Kc3 is retained.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Re: UNSUB;
BARRY GOEDWATER,
ROBERT S. McNAMARA - VICTIMS
EXTORTION

File # 9-42073-16
Lab. # D-452352 IH

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Examination requested by: SAC, WFO (9-1582) Airtel 6/18/64

Examination requested: Document

Date received: 6/18/64

Result of Examination: 6/19/64

Examination by: [Redacted]

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① ~~No~~ Found The fm. sig of Cunningham, KC
not matching with fm. in Q, 74 for exam C's papers
(not sig of sig on top)

KC3 retained

Specimens submitted for examination

KC3 Six Xerox copies of documents bearing known signatures of JOHN M. CUNNINGHAM, obtained from Protective Research Section, U. S. Secret Service, Washington, D. C.

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John H. Cunningham

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Robert F. Kennedy

White House

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Re: UNSUB;
BARRY GOLDWATER,
ROBERT S. McNAMARA - VICTIMS
EXTORTION

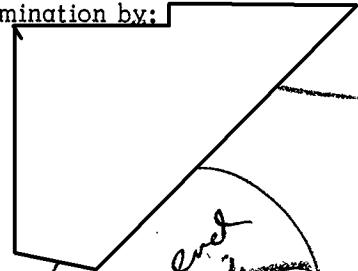
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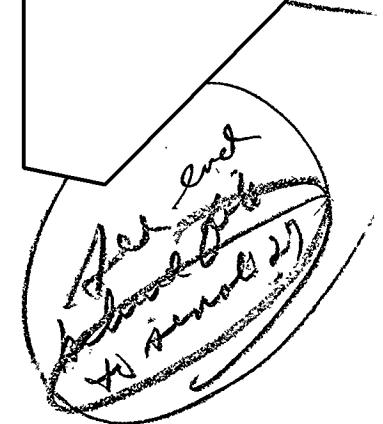
Examination requested: Document

Date received: 6/18/64

Result of Examination:

Examination by: 

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Specimens submitted for examination

Kcl Six zerox copies of documents bearing known signatures of JOHN M. CUNNINGHAM, obtained from Protective Research Section, U. S. Secret Service, Washington, D. C.

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1 - Mr. Bartlett
Division 5
1 - Mr. O'Keefe

To: Seattle (9-1023)
From: Director, FBI (9-42073) — 17

UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
SENATOR BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM
DEAN RUSK - VICTIM
EXTORTION
(OO: SEATTLE)

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Enclosed herewith for Seattle is one copy of a letter received from the Department of State dated 6/19/64. Also enclosed are copies of a threatening letter mailed to Dean Rusk and a newspaper clipping received as enclosures to the above letter.

For information of Seattle, the Laboratory has identified the writer of the enclosed letter to Mr. Rusk as the same individual who has written previous communications in captioned case.

Seattle will immediately launch immediate investigation and submit two copies of investigative reports to the Bureau. Seattle will also furnish information concerning this matter to Secret Service locally and thereafter furnish a letterhead memorandum to the Bureau suitable for dissemination to Secret Service at Seat of Government.

Laboratory report follows.

Enclosures (3)

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NOTE:

In February and March of 1964, the unknown subject wrote threatening communications to Senator Goldwater

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and Secretary of Defense McNamara. By letter dated 6/19/64 furnished to liaison, Department of State furnished a copy of a letter received by Secretary of State Rusk threatening in nature. This letter also contained implied threats against the Secretary of Defense. The State Department advised the office of Secretary of Defense has been furnished with information contained in the letter, further that return addressed Post Office Box 220, Seattle, Washington, which appeared on the letter is assigned to the Standard Oil Company.

Department of State furnished the letter to Senator Rusk for appropriate Laboratory examinations. Laboratory identified this letter as having been written by the same individual who previously wrote to Goldwater and McNamara. Liaison has advised State that in view of threats contained in the letter, investigation being instituted by this Bureau.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Seattle (9-1023)

Date: June 26, 1964

Re: Unknown Subject;
Barry Goldwater,
Robert S. McNamara,
Dean Rusk - VICTIMS;
EXTORTION

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

Examination requested by:
Department of State
Washington, D. C.

FBI File No.
Lab. No.

9-42073
D-452771 IH

Reference:
Letter 6/19/64

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Examination requested:
Document - Fingerprint

Remarks:
You will be advised separately regarding the latent
fingerprint examination of Q5 through Q7.

NOTE: This matter has been co-ordinated with supervisor
O'Keeffe, General Investigative Division.

Specimens Q5 through Q7 were identified as being
prepared by the writer of specimens previously
submitted in this case as a result of a search
of the Anonymous Letter File by
Laboratory Technician [redacted]

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Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)

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1 - Mr. O'Keeffe Room 5714 (sent direct)
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**REPORT
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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

To: **FBI, Seattle (9-1023)**

Date:
FBI File No.
Lab. No.

**June 26, 1964
9-42073
D-452771 TH**

Re: **Unknown Subject; Barry Goldwater,
Robert S. McNamara,
Dean Rusk - VICTIMS;
EXTORTION**

Specimens received from Department of State, Washington, D. C. 6/25/64

- Q5 Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH, 2A AM 10 JUN 1964" bearing handwritten address "Dean Rusk, Secretary of State U.S.A. White House, Washington, D.C."
- Q6 Accompanying small sheet of ruled paper bearing handwriting beginning "Dean Rusk You rotten old..." and ending on reverse side "...for sure we mean it."
- Q7 Accompanying newspaper clipping captioned "Southeast Asia Is On Their Minds" bearing handwriting beginning "Kill these rotten..."

Result of examination:

As a result of a search of the Anonymous Letter File and subsequent comparison, it was determined that Q5 through Q7, described above, were prepared by the writer of specimens Q1 through Q4, previously submitted in this case.

Q5 and Q6 were examined for watermarks and indented writing with negative results.

Q5 through Q7 have been photographed and are retained in the Bureau.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: Unknown Subject; Barry Goldwater; Robert S. McNamara,
DEAN RUSK - VICTIM\$; File # 9-42073-19
~~ANONYMOUS LETTER~~ Lab. # D-452771 DS II-4

Extraction

L A T E N T

Examination requested by: Dept. of State, Washington, D.C. Let 6-19-64

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint Date received: 6-25-64

Result of Examination: *6/27/64*

Examination by:

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- (1) As a result of a search of the ALF and subsequent comparison it was determined that Q5-7 by units of OJ-74 prov. sub. in this case
- (2) OJ-74 examined for cans. find ex. ex. neg at. be results *100% + retained at LFO lab.*
- (3) Q5-7 *Specimens submitted for examination*
- (4) Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH, 2A AM 10 JUN 1964" bearing handwritten address "Dean Rusk. Secretary of State U.S.A. White House, Washington, D.C."
- (5) Accompanying small sheet of ruled paper bearing handwriting ~~XXXXXX~~ beginning "Dean Rusk You rotten old..." and ending on reverse side "...for sure/we'll mean it."
- (6) Accompanying newspaper clipping captioned "Southeast Asia Is On Their Minds" bearing handwriting beginning "Kill these rotten..."

*TO FBI, SE
(Q-1023) Q1-Q3 SEARCHED ALF (H) HW-3A*

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WASH-ORE-IDAHO-DC

(Q) ~~Photograph~~ ~~Photograph~~

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IDENT WITH 9-42073

SEARCHED JUN 25 1964

at end of my search

1-Mr O'Kieffe 5714

extra yellow for 80-691 6-25-64 JR

Q1 White hand-ew containing no w.m.
Measures 3.7" x 6.5"

Q2 Slip of ruled paper cut from a
larger sheet... No w.m or undentified
writing

Q1 → 4 White House

Washington)

D.C.)

Q1 → 4 You're old War
monger) Blot



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To:

FBI, Seattle (C-1020)

Date:

July 17, 1964

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Re:

UNSUB;
DAREW GOLDWATER - Victim
ROBERT S. LO MAHARA - Victim
DEAN RUEE - Victim
EXTORTION

Examination requested by:

Seattle

Reference:

Airtel 7/3/64

Examination requested:

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Remarks:

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

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Lab REC 52 0-42070-21
D-453070 III

For your investigative assistance, it is pointed out that some characteristics were noted in the questioned handwriting on Q1 through Q4 in the [redacted] case, Bureau file 72-920, when compared with Q1 through Q4 in the instant case, which suggests that if the writer of Q1 through Q4 in the [redacted] case is known, attempts should be made to obtain recent known handwriting prepared by this individual for comparison with the questioned evidence in the instant case.

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JUL 17 1964

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Enclosures (8) (Q1 - Q4, 2 Lab reports)
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1-Bureau File 72-920

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Conrad _____
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72-920-1

Aug 5 1964

REPORT
of the



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: **FBI, Seattle (0-1023)**

Re:

**Unsub;
BARRY GOLDWATER - Victim
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - Victim
DEAN RUSK - Victim
EXTORTION**

Specimens received

7/11/64

Date: **JULY 17, 1964**
FBI File No. **9-43073**
Lab. No. **D-453976 IH**

**Q1 through Q4, previously submitted in case entitled "UNSUB,
Also [redacted] - VICTIM, OBSTRUCTION OF JUSTICE"**

Result of examination:

b6
b7C

Due to insufficient comparable material and because of the difference in the time of preparation of the questioned specimens in this case and in the [redacted] case, described above, a definite conclusion could not be reached whether the questioned handwriting on Q1 through Q7 in this case was prepared by the writer of specimens Q1 through Q4 in the [redacted] case, described above.

The submitted specimens are returned herewith.
Photographs of these specimens were previously made.

FBI:CA (6)

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

NO LAB FILE

Re: Unsub;
BARRY GOLDWATER - Victim
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - Victim
DEAN RUSK - Victim
EXTORTION

File # 9-42073-2
Lab. # D-453976 IH

OO: Seattle
Examination requested by: Seattle (9-1023) Airtel 7/9/64

Examination requested: Document

Date received: 7/13/64

Result of Examination:

Examination by: []

Due to insufficient copy sent + because of diff
time pg. in and Q, → 7 the case by
order of Q, → 4 in [] case, mentioned
above (Bufile 72-920)

b6
b7c

Some class noted in Q, → 4 in [] case
when copy with Q, → 7 suggesting sent defacto the unit

Specimens submitted for examination

Q1 through Q4, previously submitted in Bufile 72-920

case entitled "UNSUB aka. []"
[] - Victim;
OBSTRUCTION of JUSTICE"

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6-27-64

airtel

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To: SAC, Seattle (9-1023)
From: Director, FBI (9-42073)
Re: UNKNOWN SUBJECT:
BARRY GOLDWATER, ROBERT S. MC NAMARA,
AND DEAN RUSK - VICTIMS
EXTORTION

Re Department of State, U.S.A., letter dated 6-19-64,
submitting one envelope, one small sheet of ruled paper bearing
handwriting, and one newspaper clipping.

No Latents of value developed on specimens designated
in separate laboratory report as Q5 through Q7.

Specimens retained.

CVG

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U. S. DEPT. OF JUSTICE

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6-25-64

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Recorded: 6-26-64/3:00pm

Received: 6-26-64/cbg

Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: Unknown Subject; Barry Goldwater, Robert S
McNamara, DEAN RUSK - VICTIMS;
ANONYMOUS LETTER

File #

Lab. #

9-4207320
D-452771 ~~b6~~ I-4

EXTORTION

L A T E N T

LC# 49380

Examination requested by: Dept. of State, Washington, D.C. Let 6-19-64

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint Date received: 6-25-64

Result of Examination:

Examination by:

b6

b7c

No latents of value developed (Iodine,
Nin., & SN) on Q5 thru Q7. WG 6/27

Laboratory report separate.

Specimens retained in bufile (per Mr. O'Keefe, D.V.C.)
Mr. O'Keefe sending Seattle all info in this case (per)

Specimens submitted for examination

WG 6/27

Q5 Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH, 2A AM 10 JUN 1964" bearing handwritten address "Dean Rusk, Secretary of State U.S.A., White House, Washington, D.C."

Q6 Accompanying small sheet of ruled paper bearing handwriting XXXXX beginning "Dean Rusk You rotten old..." and ending on reverse side "...for sure we mean it."

Q7 Accompanying newspaper clipping captioned "Southeast Asia Is On Their Minds" bearing handwriting beginning "Kill these rotten..."

L.P.S. Direct report to Seattle (9-1023)

Retain Q5-7 in Bufile

DICT. Airtel ^{Anx} 6/27/64
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CWB

Examination completed: Date 6/27 Time 10:45AM Dictated: Date 6/27

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G-25-64
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
 UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

NO LAB FILE

Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: Unknown Subject;
 DEAN RUSK - VICTIM;
 ANONYMOUS LETTER

File #
 Lab. #

R 42073
 D-452771 SF IH

L A T E N T

Examination requested by:

Dept. of State, Washington, D.C. Let 6-19-64

Examination requested:

Date received:

b6

Document + Fingerprint

G-25-64

b7C

Result of Examination:

Examination by:

LFPS return Q57 in Bureau

Direcl report to FBI, Seattle (9-1023)

Q5-647 in LFPS 2:15 6/26/64 b6, b7c

*Set envelope
behind
file for
general
use*

Specimens submitted for examination

- Q1 Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH, 2A AM 10 JUN 1964" bearing handwritten address "Dean Rusk. Secretary of State U.S.A. White House, Washington, D.C."
- Q2 Accompanying small sheet of ruled paper bearing handwriting XXXXX beginning "Dean Rusk You rotten old..." and ending on reverse side "...for sure we mean it."
- Q3 Accompanying newspaper clipping captioned "Southcast Asia Is On Their Minds" bearing handwriting beginning "Kill these rotten..."

1 ENCL

*W.C.Y.
7/11/64*

F B I

Date: 7/9/64

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plain text or code)Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL
(Priority or Method of Mailing)

Mr. Tolson
Mr. Belmont
Mr. Mohr
Mr. Casper
Mr. Callahan
Mr. Conrad
Mr. DeLoach
Mr. Evans
Mr. Gale
Mr. Rosen
Mr. Sullivan
Mr. Tavel
Mr. Trotter
Tele. Room
Miss Holmes
Miss Gandy

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42073)
ATTN: FBI LABORATORY

FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (9-1023) (P)

SUBJECT: "CHANGED"
UNSUB;
BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
ROBERT S. McNAMARA - VICTIM;
DEAN RUSK - VICTIM
EXTORTION

OO : SEATTLE

Reb uairtel in file
7-2-920
4-1-Q4

The title is changed to add the third victim
in this case: Secretary of State DEAN RUSK.

ReBuairtel to Seattle, 6/26/64.

Enclosed is a letter consisting of envelope and
three sheets from the case entitled, "UNSUB, Aka [REDACTED];
[REDACTED] - VICTIM, OBSTRUCTION OF JUSTICE," BUfile 72-920,
Lab. #D-278641BE, SEfile 72-12.

b6
b7C

The Laboratory is requested to compare the handwriting
in the enclosed letter with the handwriting in the three letters
in the captioned case.

If the Laboratory concludes that the enclosed letter
was prepared by the same person who prepared the letters in the
captioned case, the enclosed letter should be retained for
comparison with future submissions in the captioned case. If
it is concluded that the author of the enclosed letter is not
identical with the author of the three letters in the captioned
case, the enclosed letter should be returned to Seattle.

ENCLOSURE

4 - Bureau (Enc. 4) (AM) (Reg.)
3 - Seattle (2 - 9-1023)
(1 - 72-12)

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JULY 14 1964

E. C. WICF

Approved:

Special Agent in Charge

Sent _____ M Per _____

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42073)

DATE: 7/13/64

FROM : *MJW* SAC, SEATTLE (9-1023) (P)

SUBJECT:

UNSUB
BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
ROBERT S. McNAMARA - VICTIM;
DEAN RUSK - VICTIM
EXTORTION

OO : SEATTLE

ReBuairtel to Seattle, 6/26/64.

Enclosed for the Bureau are two (2) copies of a letterhead memorandum relating to the anonymous letter sent to Secretary of State DEAN RUSK, which the Bureau may disseminate to the Secret Service at Washington, D.C. Two (2) copies of the letterhead memorandum are being disseminated to Secret Service at Seattle.

This matter is receiving continuous attention and all developments will be brought to the Bureau's attention immediately.

② - Bureau (Enc. 2)
3 - Seattle
(2 - 9-1023)
(1 - 100-26971)

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Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Seattle, Washington

July 13, 1964

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

RE: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
ROBERT S. McNAMARA - VICTIM;
DEAN RUSK - VICTIM.
EXTORTION

By communication dated June 19, 1964, the Department of State forwarded to the Federal Bureau of Investigation a letter which was received by Secretary of State DEAN RUSK.

The letter was addressed to DEAN RUSK, Secretary of State, USA, White House, Washington, D.C. It has the return address of P.O. Box 220, Seattle 1, Washington. It was postmarked June 10, 1964, at Seattle, Washington.

The letter consists of two handwritten sheets and a newspaper clipping which also contains handwriting. The following message appears in the letter:

"DEAN RUSK. You rotten old War monger murderer. You are a disgrace to a rattle Snake. Your days are numbered. the People all over the World hate You it's not Safe for You to Walk on the Streets or ride in Your car or Sleep in Your room some Body is going to Kill You dirty rat. You dirty rotten War monger. We are not fooling. We mean every Word of it this includes that rotten old War monger. McNAMARA that rotten Son of a Bitch his rotten old life is also very Short the both of You belong down in the ground about 20 feet. where you can't harm No Body. We will get You Sooner or later that is for sure We mean it."

At the end of the above message is a sketch of a skull and crossbones.

The newspaper clipping consists of a photograph of Secretary of State DEAN RUSK, General MAXWELL D. TAYLOR, Secretary of Defense ROBERT S. McNAMARA, and HENRY CABOT LODGE at a meeting in Honolulu. The following handwritten message appears on this newspaper clipping:

UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM; ET AL

"Kill these rotten War mongers-murderers--here are the
Rotten War-mongers--guilty look on their Faces".

"the real rotten War monger Kill them"

F B I

Date: 8/13/64

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plain text or code)Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL
(Priority or Method of Mailing)

Mr. Tolson
 Mr. Bohlen
 Mr. Mohr
 Mr. Clegg
 Mr. Callahan
 Mr. Felt
 Mr. Gale
 Mr. Rosen
 Mr. Seeger
 Mr. Tavel
 Mr. Trotter
 Tele. Room
 Miss Holmes
 Miss Gandy

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42073) ATTEN: FBI LABORATORY
 FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (9-1023)(P)
 SUBJECT: UNSUB; BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
 ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM;
 DEAN RUSK - VICTIM
 EXTORTION
 (OO: SEATTLE)

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There is being forwarded herewith two (2) copies
 of a letter and envelope postmarked 8/7/64 at Seattle,
 Washington, addressed to City Councilman CHARLES M. CARROLL,
 City Hall, Seattle, Washington, return address 5562 Dayton
 Avenue North, Seattle, Washington. This letter starts,
 "CHARLES CARROLL You are a disgrace to your name..." The
 letter is unsigned and ends, "...Your life is short." This
 letter contains obscene statements and is marked obscene.

From observation it would appear that the writer
 of this letter might be identical with the UNSUB in captioned
 case. The Laboratory Number in captioned case is D-452771 IH.

It is requested that this letter be compared with
 similar-type letters in the Bureau file and, specifically
 with the extortion letters in captioned case to determine if
 the writer of the letter is identical.

~~Enclosed in one envelope~~
~~Enclosed in one envelope~~ The original of this letter is maintained by the
 Seattle Police Department, who are conducting an active

ENCLOSURE sealed

4 - Bureau (Enc. 4)(AM)(REGISTERED)
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Approved: J. E. F. Sent: _____ M Per: _____
 Special Agent in Charge

SE 9-1023

investigation in this matter inasmuch as CARROLL is a Seattle public official on the Seattle City Council. For this reason, no further investigation is being conducted relating to this letter at this time, and the matter is not being presented to the U. S. Attorney at Seattle.

The Bureau may retain the copies which are forwarded herewith.

RECORDED
8/18/64
PJR

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: UNSUB, BARRY GOLDWATER -
VICTIM; ROBERT S. MC NAMARA -
VICTIM; DEAN RUSK - VICTIM
EXTORTION
OO: Seattle

NO LAB FILE
File # 9-42073-23
Lab. # D-456484 IH

Examination requested by: SAC, Seattle (9-1023)

Airtel 8/13/64

Examination requested: Document

Date received: 8/17/64

Result of Examination:

Examination by:

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Specimens submitted for examination

QcS Photocopy of envelope addressed to "City Councilman Charles M. Carroll, City Hall, Seattle, Wash." and accompanying letter beginning "Charles Carroll You are a disgrace...." and ending "Your life is Short"

*Retained — see enclosure
Volume file
to serial 27*

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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1 - Mr. Conley,
Rm. 5714

To: FBI, Seattle (9-1023)

Date: August 21, 1964

Re: Unsub; BARRY GOLDWATER -
VICTIM; ROBERT S. MC NAMARA -
VICTIM; DEAN RUSK - VICTIM;
et al.;

EXTORTION

OO: Seattle

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

Examination requested by: FBI, Seattle - Department of State

FBI File No. REC-138
9-42073-23
Lab. No. D-456484, D-456792 IH

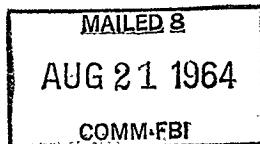
Reference: Washington, D. C.
Airtel 8/13/64 - Letter 8/18/64 EX 110

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Remarks:

Seattle will be separately advised regarding the latent fingerprint examination of Q9 through Q11.

Seattle's attention is directed to Bureau airtel dated 8/20/64, which advised that the original documents, Q9 through Q11, would be sent to Seattle. These original documents will not be furnished to Seattle but will be retained in Bureau files with other original documents in this case.



Enclosures (5) (Photocopies of Q9 - Q11, 2 Lab rpt)

Tolson _____
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Conrad _____
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**REPORT
of the**



**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

To: **FBI, Seattle**Date: **August 21, 1964**Re: **Unsub; BARRY GOLDWATER -
VICTIM; ROBERT S. MC NAMARA -
VICTIM; DEAN RUSK - VICTIM;
et al.;
EXTORTION**FBI File No.
Lab. No.**9-42073
D-456484 IH
D-456792 IH**Specimens received **8/17/64**, from **FBI, Seattle**

Qc8 Photocopy of envelope addressed to "City Councilman Charles M. Carroll, City Hall, Seattle, Wash." and accompanying letter beginning "Charles Carroll You are a disgrace..." and ending "Your life is Short"

Specimens received **8/20/64**, from Department of State,
Washington, D. C.

Q9 Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH. 2B AUG 6 1964 AM" bearing handwritten address "Ambassador Adlai E. Stevenson, United Nations, New York City, New York" with return address [redacted]

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Q10 Accompanying handwritten letter beginning "Adlai E. Stevenson, United Nations N. Y. You old..." and ending on reverse side "...every word we are saying."

Q11 Accompanying newspaper clipping bearing caption "Sec. McNamara Briefs Press" with handwritten notation thereon beginning "A rotten war monger..."

Result of examination:

It was concluded that the questioned handwriting on Qc8 through Q11 was prepared by the writer of specimens Q1 through Q7 previously submitted in this case.

Specimens Q9 through Q11 were examined for watermarks and indented writing with negative results.

Specimens Qc8 through Q11 are retained. Photocopies of Q9 through Q11 are enclosed for Seattle. Photographs of Q9 through Q11 have also been made.

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DeLoach _____
Evans _____
Gale _____
Rosen _____
Sullivan _____
Tavel _____
Trotter _____
Tele. Room _____
Holmes _____
Gandy _____

FMD:GFM (5)

MAIL ROOM TELETYPE UNIT *[Signature]*

RECORDED
8/18/64
PJR

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: UNSUB, BARRY GOLDWATER -
VICTIM; ROBERT S. MC NAMARA
VICTIM; DEAN RUSK - VICTIM, *et al.*
EXTORTION
OO: Seattle

NO LAB FILE
File # 9-42073 - 23
Lab. # D-456484 IH

Examination requested by: SAC, Seattle (9-1023) Airtel 8/13/64

Examination requested: Document

Date received: 8/17/64

Result of Examination:

Examination by: b6 b7c

- (1) Ident Qc8 → Q9 by introd Q1 → Q9 pm -
- (2) Q9 → 11 examined for pens + inks, w.
no chromat
- (3) Qc8 retained Q9 → 11 retained for
total PP exam (Signs + characteristics.
photos Q9 → 11 also made. Photocopies
Q9 → 11 are enclosed for Se breif

Specimens submitted for examination

Qc8 Photocopy of envelope addressed to "City Councilman Charles M. Carroll, City Hall, Seattle, Wash." and accompanying letter beginning "Charles Carroll You are a disgrace....." and ending "Your life is Short"

Se advised this directed to Beaster 8/18/64
8/20/64 which advised that the originals Qc8, 9, 10
be sent to Seattle. These originals Qc8
will not be sent to Se but will be
retained in Byles with other original
docs. this case.

Robert
8/21/64
for [signature]

I-m-comley
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SAC, Seattle (9-1023)

8/17/64

ST
C Director, FBI (9-42073)

1 - Mr. Conley

①
UNSUB; BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM;
DEAN RUSK - VICTIM
EXTORTION

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While the Bureau concurs that no investigation should be conducted concerning the letter to Councilman Carroll inasmuch as local authorities are investigating same, it is pointed out that based on the fact this letter contains obscene statements there may be a postal violation. Seattle Police Department should be advised of Post Office interest in letters containing obscene language.

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Tolson _____
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8/20/64

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1 - Mr. Conley

Airtel

To: SAC, Seattle (9-1023)
From: Director, FBI (9-42073)

UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM
DEAN RUSK - VICTIM
EXTORTION

For your information, Department of State, by letter dated 8/18/64, a copy of which is enclosed, furnished to the Bureau an undated letter which appears to have been written by the same individual who has previously written other communications in this matter. This letter which rambles on in the same general tone as earlier letters threatening Government officials, was contained in an envelope postmarked Seattle, Washington, A.M. of 8/6/64, addressed to Ambassador Adlai E. Stevenson, United Nations, New York City, New York, with a return address of [redacted]

It is noted that in the past the unknown subject has used [redacted] as a return address.

Seattle should conduct immediate investigation concerning the return address in an effort to identify the sender of these letters. The letter furnished by State Department, the envelope and a news clipping contained therein are being examined by the FBI Laboratory and the Identification Division and you will be furnished with the results of these examinations as well as the original communication upon completion of same.

Enclosure

MAILED 8
AUG 20 1964
COMM-FBI

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See Note Page 2

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NOTE:

In February and March, 1964, unknown subject wrote threatening communication to Senator Goldwater and Secretary of Defense McNamara. In June, 1964, the same subject wrote a threatening letter to Secretary of State Rusk. Investigation conducted by Seattle Office to date has failed to identify this individual.

The original incoming letter has been furnished separately to [redacted] in the Laboratory for appropriate examinations.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42073)
Attention: FBI Laboratory

FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (9-1023) (P)

SUBJECT: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
Barry Goldwater - VICTIM;
Robert S. McNamara - VICTIM;
Dean Rusk - VICTIM
EXTORTION
(OO: Seattle)

DATE: 8/24/64

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ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
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DATE 11/13/98 BY SP/201
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[redacted] subject of Bureau file 100-40010
and Seattle file 100-25855, is being considered a suspect in
this case as a result of information furnished to this office by
[redacted] on June 4, 1964.

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D.R.
40010

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Bkns 9/29/64

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Enclosed for the Bureau are the following two (2) documents which contain the known handwriting of [redacted]

1. A letter dated April 18, 1955, to the Selective Service System at Seattle
2. A Selective Service System Current Information Questionnaire

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The Laboratory is requested to compare [redacted] handwriting with the handwriting on the three (3) extortion letters in this case.

It is requested that the above two (2) documents be returned to Seattle when the examination is completed so that they may be returned to the Selective Service System.



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Seattle (9-1023)

Date: September 2, 1964

Re: Unsub,
Barry Goldwater - VICTIM;
Robert S. McNamara - VICTIM;
Dean Rusk - VICTIM;
EXTORTION

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

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OO: Seattle
Examination requested by: Seattle

REC-123
FBI File No. 9-42073 - 26
Lab. No. D-457166 IH

Reference: Letter 8/24/64

EX:112

Examination requested: Document

Remarks:

For your investigative information, it is pointed out
that nothing of particular significance was noted as the result
of the comparison of Q1 through Q11 with the known handwriting
of [redacted] now available.

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 11/13/98 BY SP27/C
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**REPORT
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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

To: **FBI, Seattle (9-1023)**

Date: **September 2, 1964**
FBI File No. **9-42073**
Lab. No. **D-457166 TH**

Re: **Unsub,**

Barry Goldwater - VICTIM;
Robert S. McNamara - VICTIM;
Dean Rusk - VICTIM;
EXTORTION

Specimens received **8/26/64**

K4 Selective Service System Current Information Questionnaire dated 7/8/63 and one sheet of paper bearing the known handwriting of [redacted]

Result of examination:

Due to unexplainable variations and insufficient comparable material a conclusion could not be reached whether the questioned handwriting on Q1 through Q11 in this case was prepared by [redacted] **K4.**

K4 has not been photographed and is returned to Seattle herewith.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: Unsub,
Barry Goldwater - VICTIM;
Robert S. McNamara - VICTIM;
Dean Rusk - VICTIM
EXTORTION

No Lab File # 9-42073 -
File # 9-42073 -
Lab. # D-457166 IH

OO: Seattle
Examination requested by: Seattle (9-1023)

8/24/64

Examination requested: Document

Date received: 8/26/64

Result of Examination:

Examination by

Dem + envelope was + insufficient camp, short,
in code for law Q, 7/11 by [redacted] K4
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now avail)

K4 cut plastic + metal

Specimens submitted for examination

K4 ~~Exhibit~~ Selective Service System Current Information
Questionnaire dated 7/8/63 and one sheet of paper bearing
the known handwriting of [redacted]

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: **Unknown Subject;**
ADLAI E. STEVENSON - VICTIM;
EXTORTION

9-42073 - 27
D-456792 MH

L A T E R N T

Examination requested by: State Department, Washington 8/18/64

Examination requested: **Document - Fingerprint** Date received: **8/20/64**

Result of Examination: _____ **Examination by:** _____

LFPs RETAIN $\alpha_9 \rightarrow 11$ in Buffalo

Q9 thru 11 to LFP Bass 8/21
Site 2 PPM

8/21/GA

Q9-Q11 retained in Baffles, CTD 8/27/64

Specimens submitted for examination

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Q9 Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH. 2B AUG 6 1964 AM," bearing handwritten address "Ambassador Adlai E. Stevenson, United Nations, New York City, New York" with return address [redacted]
Q10 Accompanying handwritten letter beginning "Adlai E. Stevenson, United Nations N. Y. You old..." and ending on reverse side "...every word we are saying."
Q11 Accompanying newspaper clipping bearing caption "Sec. McNamara Briefs Press" with handwritten notation thereon beginning "A rotten war monger..."



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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537

REPORT

of the

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

EX-130

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO.

9-1023

FBI FILE NO.

MURKIN 9-42073-27

LATENT CASE NO.

49380

August 28, 1964

TO: SAC, Seattle

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RE:

UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
ADLAIR E. STEVENSON - VICTIM
ET AL.; EXORTION

Dean Rusk

Robert McNamee } Victims

Pats. Lyndon B. Johnson

Department of State letter 8-18-64, and Buairtel
8-20-64

REFERENCE:

EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY:

SPECIMENS:

Department of State, Washington, D. C.

Q9, envelope

Q10, accompanying handwritten letter

Q11, accompanying newspaper clipping.

One latent fingerprint developed on envelope and one latent fingerprint and one latent palm print developed on letter are of value. No latents of value developed on clipping.

Latents compared with fingerprints of Sidney Thompson Telford, Jr., who was named for elimination purposes, and fingerprints of Leo Edward Crampsey, born 8-4-24, at Allentown, Pennsylvania, who may or may not be the Crampsey named in referenced letter for elimination purposes. One latent fingerprint on letter identified as fingerprint of Telford. No palm prints available Identification Division files for these two individuals.

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John Edgar Hoover, Director

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SAC, Seattle

August 28, 1964

On basis of information furnished, no
fingerprints located Identification Division files
for [redacted], who was also named for elimination
purposes.

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Laboratory report separate.

Specimens retained.

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8/21/64
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Recorded: L A T E N T Received: 8/24/64 bcc
8/24/64 9:00 AM NO LAB FILE

Re: Unknown Subject; File # 9-42073 - 21
ADLAI E. STEVENSON - VICTIM, et al., Lab. # D-456792 IH
EXTORTION

LC #49380

L A T E N T

Examination requested by: State Department, Washington 8/18/64

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint Date received: 8/20/64

Result of Examination: Examination by:

Answer to FBI, Seattle (9-1023)

Q9 + Q10 to Photo (NIN) 8-24.CWG

Lat. fpt. of value dev. (NIN) on Q9.

Lat. fpt. of value dev. (NIN) on Q10.
Called CI.

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verified
GLD*

Lat. fpt. on Q10 of #4 Sidney Thompson Telford, Jr. CG 8/27

No hits. of value developed on specimens with date or SN.

Specimens submitted for examination
Q9 Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH. 2B AUG 6 1964 AM," CG
bearing handwritten address "Ambassador Adlai E. Stevenson,
United Nations. New York City. New York" with return address

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Q10 Accompanying handwritten letter beginning "Adlai E. Stevenson,
United Nations N. Y. You old..." and ending on reverse side
"...every word we are saying."

Q11 Accompanying newspaper clipping bearing caption "Sec. McNamara
Briefs Press" with handwritten notation thereon beginning
"A rotten war monger..."

Lat fpt on Q9 not of Telford or fpts. Leo Edward
Crampsey, born 8/4/24 at Allentown, Pa., fpt'd 10/5/56, as
appl. by US Secret Service Wash. D.C.
On basis of info furn., U+L fpts for
No pp's available here for Telford or Crampsey.

Examination completed: 12:55 P.M. 8-27 Dictated: 8-27

Specimens retained in files. Lab. report separate.

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8/21/64
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

L A T E N T
Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: ~~Unknown Subject;~~
~~ADLAI E. STEVENSON - VICTIM;~~
~~EXTORTION~~ *see D-456792*

NO LAB FILE

File #
Lab. #

9-42073 -
D-456792 IH

L A T E N T

Examination requested by: State Department, Washington 8/18/64

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint Date received: 8/20/64

Result of Examination: Examination by:

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Specimens submitted for examination

Q9 Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH. 2B AUG 6 1964 AM," bearing handwritten address "Ambassador Adlai E. Stevenson, United Nations, New York City, New York" with return address "

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*Report to Supt
Laboratory
8-21-64
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE SEATTLE	OFFICE OF ORIGIN SEATTLE	DATE 9/10/64	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 6/9/64 - 8/28/64
TITLE OF CASE CHANGED UNKNOWN SUBJECT; BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM; ROBERT S. McNAMARA - VICTIM; DEAN RUSK - VICTIM; ADLAI E. STEVENSON - VICTIM		REPORT MADE BY SA [redacted]	TYPED BY bjt
		CHARACTER OF CASE EXTORTION	

The title is marked "Changed" to include the names of two additional victims; Secretary of State DEAN RUSK, and U.S. Ambassador to the United Nations ADLAI E. STEVENSON. The name of Seattle City Councilman, CHARLES M. CARROLL is not being carried in the title of this case because investigation of the CARROLL letter is being handled by the Seattle Police Department.

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REFERENCES: Seattle letter to the Bureau dated 8/24/64; Bureau letter to Seattle dated 8/21/64; Bureau airtel to Seattle dated 8/20/64; Seattle airtel to Bureau dated 8/13/64; Bureau letter to Seattle dated 7/17/64; Bureau airtel to Seattle dated 6/26/64; Bureau letter to Seattle dated 6/26/64; WFO airtel to Bureau dated 6/18/64; and Report of SA [redacted] dated 6/3/64 at Seattle, Washington.

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Seattle, Washington
- 2 - USA, Seattle? DEPT OF JUSTICE
- 2 - Seattle (9-1023) (AM)

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NOTATIONS

[redacted] The source advised that [redacted] returned to Seattle on July 29, 1964. It will be noted that the CARROLL letter was postmarked August 7, 1964, and the STEVENSON letter was postmarked August 6, 1964, at Seattle.

LEADS:

THE SEATTLE DIVISION
At Seattle, Washington

1. Will maintain liaison with [redacted] Seattle Police Department, regarding police investigation of the CARROLL letter.
2. Although the subject has used carefully selected fictitious return addresses, limited inquiry will be made regarding [redacted] who has [redacted] in Seattle. This was the return address on the STEVENSON letter. Will fully identify [redacted] and develop background information. Will obtain specimens of [redacted] handwriting for comparison with letters written in this case. b6 b7C
3. Will report the results of the comparison of suspect JOHN H. CUNNINGHAM's handwriting with letters in this case.
4. Will report the comparison of suspect [redacted] handwriting with letters in this case.
5. In view of the nature of the letters in this case, a review is being made of security files in the Seattle Office for suspects who are Communist Party members or sympathizers. Will report individual suspects developed in this review and forward available handwriting specimens to the Laboratory.
6. Will review the registration cards at the Lutheran Compass Center, 77 Washington Street.

**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION**

Copy to: 1 - U.S. Secret Service, Seattle, Washington
2 - USA, Seattle

Report of: [redacted]
Date: September 10, 1964

Field Office File No.: 9-1023

Office: SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

Bureau File No.: 9-42073

Title: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
ROBERT S. McNAMARA - VICTIM;
DEAN RUSK - VICTIM;
Character: ADLAI E. STEVENSON - VICTIM
EXTORTION

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
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Synopsis: Anonymous letter postmarked 6/10/64 at Seattle, Washington, was mailed to Secretary of State DEAN RUSK. Anonymous letter postmarked 8/6/64 at Seattle, Washington, was mailed to Ambassador ADLAI E. STEVENSON. Anonymous letter postmarked 8/7/64 at Seattle, Washington, was mailed to CHARLES M. CARROLL, member of Seattle City Council. All three letters prepared by the same person who prepared the GOLDWATER letter and the McNAMARA letter. Unknown subject's handwriting searched through the Protective Research Section of the U.S. Secret Service, but not identified with prior submissions. Suspect [redacted] FBI # [redacted] eliminated. Signatures of suspect JOHN H. CUNNINGHAM, FBI #868007CC obtained for handwriting comparison. [redacted] FBI # [redacted] considered as a suspect, and handwriting specimens obtained. PAUL W. JOHNSON eliminated as a suspect.

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DETAILS:

By communication dated June 19, 1964, the Department of State forwarded to the Federal Bureau of Investigation a letter which was received by Secretary of State DEAN RUSK.

The letter was addressed to the U.S. Secretary of State, U.S.A., White House, Washington, D.C. It has the return address of P. O. Box 220, Seattle 1, Washington. It was postmarked June 10, 1964, at Seattle, Washington.

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The letter consists of a handwritten message on lined paper and a newspaper clipping which also contains handwriting. The following message appears in the letter:

"DEAN RUSK You rotten old War monger murderer—
You are a disgrace to a rattle Snake. Your days
are numbered the People all over the World
hate You it's not Safe for You to Walk on the
Streets or ride in Your car or Sleep in Your
room some Body is going to Kill You dirty rotten
War monger We are not fooling. We mean every
Word of it this includes that rotten old War
monger MCNAMARA that rotten (obscene words deleted)
his rotten old life is also very Short the both of
You belong down in the ground about 20 feet where
you can't harm No Body. We will get You Sooner
or later that is for sure We mean it."

At the end of the above message is a sketch of a skull and crossbones.

The newspaper clipping consists of a photograph of Secretary of State DEAN RUSK, General MAXWELL D. TAYLOR, Secretary of Defense ROBERT S. Mc NAMARA, and HENRY CABOT LODGE at a meeting in Hololulu. The following handwritten message appears on this newspaper clipping:

"Kill these rotten war mongers-murders-here
are the rotten War mongers guilty look on
their Faces. The real rotten war mongers
Kill them."

The FBI Laboratory furnished the following report on the RUSK letter:

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Records of the U.S. Post Office, Seattle, Washington, reflect that P. O. Box 220, Seattle, is rented by the Standard Oil Company of California.

By communication dated August 18, 1964, the Department of State forwarded to the Federal Bureau of Investigation a letter received by Ambassador to the United Nations ADLAI E. STEVENSON. This letter is addressed to Ambassador ADLAI E. STEVENSON, United Nations, New York City, New York, and has the return address [redacted]

[redacted] It was postmarked August 6, 1964, at Seattle, Washington.

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The STEVENSON letter consists of a handwritten message on lined paper and a newspaper clipping, which also contains handwriting. The handwritten message is as follows:

"ADLAI E. STEVENSON, United Nations N.Y. You old dirty rotten war monger. Your days are short. We will get you before long along with the rest of the rotten War mongers - DEAN RUSK and that rotten old War monger JOHNSON he is a disgrace to a rattle Snake and that rotten old War monger-murderer MC NAMARA all 4 of your are a Bunch of gangsters-murderers the Very Worst in the World, We Will Kill everyone of You and believe Me We are Not saying this Just to be saying something. We mean every Word We say, all 4 of You rotten War mongers-Murderers-gangsters must be Killed. You are a Disgrace to the American People, don't ever think we can't Kill You dirty rotten War Mongers. We got everything right here to Kill You With and We all know how to use it the People all over the World hate You rotten War Mongers Murderers and rotten gangsters. You are going to Start another Big War and millions of People will get Killed Just over You dirty--rotten Murderers. We must Kill You before You start another Big War all 4 of You rotten murderers. You are so low down You would (obscene passage deleted) You are lower down than anything in the Whole wide World

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You dirty rotten Murders-War Mongers gangsters. Big rotten crooks We must Kill all 4 of -- You rotten murderers that -- rotten War Monger JOHNSON is included he is also a rotten War Monger-Murderer-gangster. We mean every Word We are saying."

The newspaper clipping consists of a photograph and caption regarding Secretary of Defense ROBERT S. MC NAMARA. It contains the following printing:

"A Rotten War Monger Kill this dirty war monger Dirty rotten war monger Kill this rat War Monger Kill this War monger"

On August 13, 1964, [redacted] b6
Homocide and Robbery Detail, Seattle Police Department, b7C
furnished this office a copy of a letter received by
Seattle City Councilman CHARLES M. CARROLL. The letter was
addressed to City Councilman, CHARLES M. CARROLL, City
Hall, Seattle, Washington, and has return address 5582
Dayton Avenue North, Seattle, Washington. It was postmarked
August 7, 1964, at Seattle.

The letter consists of a handwritten message on
one sheet of lined paper:

"CHARLES CARROLL You are a disgrace to Your
name We all know what a rotten Crook You
are You are one of the Big gangsters here in
Seattle one of the Worst Phoneys (obscene word
deleted) Stool Pigeons Murderers No Body
could be any Worse You are lower down than any
body in Walla Walla State Pen. it is a -- dirty
shame to let You live. We will get You one of these
days You old Dirty (obscene words deleted) that
is for sure.

"Sure death ---

"P.S. - You are a real murderer Dirty no good
Rapo double crosser Your life Is short"

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The above letter contains three small sketches of skull and crossbones.

[redacted] advised that it has been learned that the address 5582 Dayton Avenue North, Seattle, Washington, is nonexistent. He explained that there are no residences on Dayton Avenue North from 49th Street to 59th Street, inasmuch as this area is occupied by Woodland Park.

The FBI Laboratory furnished the following report concerning the CARROLL and STEVENSON letters:

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On August 31, 1964, Postal Inspector [redacted] advised that [redacted] at Seattle is rented by [redacted] who resides at [redacted]. The box was rented on April 3, 1951, and [redacted] listed his employment as [redacted].

Directories for the City of Seattle reflect that [redacted] resides at [redacted]. His [redacted] listed as [redacted] and his employment is listed as [redacted] for [redacted].

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In the case entitled, "Unknown Subject, aka [redacted] - VICTIM, EXTORTION, OBSTRUCTION OF JUSTICE", an anonymous threatening letter postmarked October 6, 1955, at Seattle, Washington, was mailed to [redacted] who was testifying as a government witness in U.S. District Court, Seattle. The handwriting in the threatening letter to [redacted] was compared with the handwriting in the letters in the captioned case and the FBI Laboratory furnished the following report:

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By communication dated June 19, 1964, the Washington Field Office advised that copies of the GOLDWATER letter and the MC NAMARA letter were furnished to [REDACTED] Protective Research Section, U. S. Secret Service, Washington, D. C. On June 22, 1964, Special Agent [REDACTED] Protective Research Section, U.S. Secret Service, advised that the letters in this case cannot be identified with previous submissions to the Protective Research Section.

INDIVIDUAL SUSPECTS

RE: [REDACTED]
FBI No. [REDACTED]

Investigation of [REDACTED] as a suspect was initiated as a result of his arrest at San Francisco, California, by the U.S. Secret Service on a charge of mailing a threatening letter to President LYNDON B. JOHNSON from Reno, Nevada, on March 12, 1964. It has been reported that the threatening letter mailed to President JOHNSON was not prepared by the same person who prepared the letters in this case.

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By communication dated June 8, 1964, San Francisco advised that [REDACTED] admitted in a signed statement to Bureau Agents, authorship of the anonymous letter mailed to President JOHNSON at Reno, Nevada, on March 12, 1964. In view of this, [REDACTED] is being eliminated as a suspect.

RE: JOHN H. CUNNINGHAM
FBI No. 868007C

By communication dated June 18, 1964, Washington Field Office advised that six xeroxed copies of the signature of JOHN H. CUNNINGHAM were made available by [REDACTED] U.S. Secret Service, for comparison of handwriting in the letters in this case. CUNNINGHAM's Secret Service file reflects that he was committed to the Veterans Administration Hospital, Seattle, Washington, on January 7, 1964, on a complaint of the Mental Division, Seattle.

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Police Department. CUNNINGHAM is listed as paranoid schizóphrenic and is receiving 100% disability compensation.

RE: [redacted]

TBI No. [redacted]

Records of the U.S. Coast Guard, Seattle, Washington, reflect that [redacted] resides at [redacted]

[redacted] He is employed as an [redacted]
by the [redacted] and also is a [redacted]

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[redacted] was born [redacted] at [redacted]

On August 18, 1964, [redacted]
Selective Service System, Seattle, Washington, furnished two documents which contained handwriting of [redacted]. Handwriting is being compared with the handwriting in the threatening letters in this case.

RE: PAUL W. JOHNSON

It has been reported that PAUL W. JOHNSON was found dead in Room 37 of the Our Home Hotel, 33½ Main Street, Seattle, Washington, on April 4, 1964. Inasmuch as the RUSK, CARROLL and STEVENSON letters were postmarked subsequent to JOHNSON's death, no further investigation is being conducted regarding him.



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Seattle (9-1023)

Date: October 22, 1964

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Re: Unsub; Barry Goldwater - Victim;
Robert S. McNamara - Victim;
Dean Rusk - Victim;
Adlai E. Stevenson - Victim
EXTORTION
OO: Seattle

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

REC-120
FBI File No. 9-42073-
Lab. No. D-461133 IH *29*

Examination requested by: Seattle

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Reference: Letter 10/13/64

Examination requested: Document

Remarks:

For your investigative assistance, some handwriting differences were noted in the questioned handwriting on Q1 through Q11 when compared with K6.

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Holmes _____
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Enclosures (4) (K5, K6, 2 Lab report)

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REPORT
of the



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Seattle (9-1023)

Date: October 22, 1964

Re: Unsub; Barry Goldwater - Victim;
Robert S. McNamara - Victim;
Dean Rusk - Victim;
Adlai E. Stevenson - Victim
EXTORTION

FBI File No. 9-42073

Lab. No. D-461133 IH

Specimens received

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K5 Airmail envelope and three-page letter, dated 8/26/60,
bearing purported known handwriting of [redacted]

K6 Application for post office box, dated 6/22/59,
bearing known handwriting and hand printing of
[redacted]

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Result of examination:

It was concluded that [redacted] K5, did not
prepare the questioned handwriting on Q1 through Q11 in this
case.

Because of insufficient comparable known handwriting,
a definite conclusion could not be reached whether
[redacted] K6, prepared specimens Q1 through Q11.

K5 and K6 were searched in the Anonymous Letter File
without effecting an identification. Copies of this material
are not being added to this file at this time.

K5 and K6 have been photographed and are returned
herewith to Seattle.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

NO LAB FILE

Re: UNSUB; BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM;
DEAN RUSK - VICTIM;
ADLAIA E. STEVENSON - VICTIM
EXTORTION

File # 9-42073-*29*
Lab. # D-461133 IH

OO: Seattle

Examination requested by: FBI, Seattle (9-1023)

10/13/64

Examination requested: Document

Date received:

10/16/64

Result of Examination:

Examination by:

(1) No ident Q₁ → Q₁₁ by K₆ [redacted]
(2) No conc " " K₆ [redacted] - missp. comp
Ku. line - Diff noted.
(3) K₆ & K₆ no ident ALCF not added. Photo'd + rel'd

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Specimens submitted for examination

K₆ Airmail envelope and three-page letter, dated 8/26/60,
bearing purported known handwriting of [redacted]

K₆ Application for post office box, dated 6/22/59, bearing
known handwriting and hand printing of [redacted]

Lab rep't
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RETURN EVIDENCE

K1 no ident ALCF A. H.

Q, " You and War monger
K+ your Washington D.C.
I went

K W. Bell Portland - Diff

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42073)
Attention: FBI Laboratory

FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (9-1023) (P)

DATE: 10/13/64

SUBJECT: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
ROBERT S. McNAMARA - VICTIM;
DEAN RUSK - VICTIM;
ADLAIR E. STEVENSON - VICTIM
EXTORTION
OO - SEATTLE

Enclosed for the Bureau is a letter dated August 26, 1960, addressed to Mr. ARTHUR E. SUMMERFIELD, Post Master General, from [REDACTED]. This letter was furnished by Postal Inspector [REDACTED] after a review of "crank" letters in the Postal Inspector's Office at Seattle. [REDACTED] advised that he is suggesting [REDACTED] as a suspect in the captioned case.

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Also enclosed for the Bureau is an application for post office box, dated June 22, 1959, and executed by [REDACTED]. Inspector [REDACTED] furnished this application as a sample of the handwriting of [REDACTED] who has [REDACTED]. It will be recalled that the threatening letter to ADLAIR E. STEVENSON has the return address of [REDACTED]

The Laboratory is requested to compare the handwriting on the [REDACTED] letter and the [REDACTED] application with the threatening letters in this case.

Both enclosures should be returned to Seattle after the examination is completed.

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Re: UNSUB; BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM;
DEAN RUSK - VICTIM;
ADLAI E. STEVENSON - VICTIM
EXTORTION

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OO: Seattle

Examination requested by: FBI, Seattle (9-1023) 10/13/64

Examination requested: Document

Date received: 10/16/64

Result of Examination:

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Specimens submitted for examination

K4 Airmail envelope and three-page letter, dated 8/26/60,
bearing purported known handwriting of [redacted]

K5 Application for post office box, dated 6/22/59, bearing
known handwriting and hand printing of [redacted]
[redacted]

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE SEATTLE	OFFICE OF ORIGIN SEATTLE	DATE 11/30/64	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 10/6/64 - 11/30/64
TITLE OF CASE UNKNOWN SUBJECT; BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM; ROBERT S. McNAMARA - VICTIM; DEAN RUSK - VICTIM; ADLAI E. STEVENSON - VICTIM		REPORT MADE BY SA [redacted]	TYPED BY mlk
CHARACTER OF CASE EXTORTION			

REFERENCES: Report of SA [redacted] dated 9/10/64
at Seattle;
Seattle letter to Bureau 10/13/64.

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STATUS: PENDING

LEADS:

SEATTLE DIVISION
At Seattle, Washington

Will interview suspect [redacted]

Will continue review of security files in the Seattle Office in attempt to develop suspects in this matter.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: 1 - U. S. Secret Service, Seattle, Washington

Report of: SA [redacted] Office: SEATTLE, WASHINGTON
 Date: November 30, 1964

Field Office File No.: 9-1023 Bureau File No.: 9-42073

Title: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
 BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
 ROBERT S. McNAMARA - VICTIM;
 DEAN RUSK - VICTIM
 ADLAI E. STEVENSON - VICTIM
 EXTORTION

Character:

Synopsis: Seattle Police Department has not identified author of anonymous letter to City Councilman CHARLES M. CARROLL. Handwriting on registration cards at Lutheran Compass Center, Seattle, reviewed but nothing of significance noted. [redacted] JOHN H. CUNNINGHAM, FBI #868007C, and [redacted] FBI # [redacted] eliminated as suspects.

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DETAILS:

AT SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

On October 6, 1964 [redacted] Seattle Police Department, advised that the investigation to date by his office has not identified the author of the anonymous letter which was mailed to Seattle City Councilman CHARLES M. CARROLL on August 7, 1964. [redacted] promised to immediately notify this office in the event he identifies the author of that letter.

On October 7, 1964 Postal Inspector [redacted] made available a copy of a letter written to the Postmaster General by [redacted]

[redacted] advised he reviewed the anonymous letter file at the Seattle Post Office and is of the opinion that there are some similarities between [redacted] writing and the anonymous letters in this case.

[redacted] handwriting was compared with the handwriting on the anonymous letters and the Laboratory Report is set out later in this report. In view of the Laboratory findings,

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[redacted] is being eliminated as a suspect.

It has been reported that the anonymous letter to Ambassador ADLAI E. STEVENSON had the return address of [redacted]. Also, it has been reported that [redacted] is rented by [redacted]

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On October 7, 1964 Postal Inspector [redacted] furnished an application for [redacted] executed by [redacted]. The handwriting on this application was compared with the anonymous letters in this case, and the following is a Laboratory Report in this connection:

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The following Laboratory Report was made as a result of comparison of handwriting of JOHN H. CUNNINGHAM, FBI #868007C. In view of this, no further investigation is being conducted regarding CUNNINGHAM.

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The following Laboratory Report was received
regarding a comparison of the handwriting of [REDACTED]
FBI # [REDACTED] is being eliminated as a suspect.

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On October 16 and November 9, 1964 handwriting on the registration cards at the Lutheran Compass Center, 77 Washington Street, Seattle, was reviewed. No similarities were noted between the handwriting on these cards and the anonymous letters in this case.

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Date: 12/11/64

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plain text or code)Via AIRTEL. AIR MAIL
(Priority)

Mr. Tolson
Mr. Belmont
Mr. Mohr
Mr. DeLoach
Mr. Casper
Mr. Callahan
Mr. Conrad
Mr. Evans
Mr. Gale
Mr. Rosen
Mr. Sullivan
Mr. Tavel
Mr. Trotter
Tele. Room
Miss Holmes
Miss Gandy

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42073)
ATTENTION: FBI LABORATORY

FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (9-1023) (P)

SUBJECT: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
 BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
 ROBERT S. McNAMARA - VICTIM;
 DEAN RUSK - VICTIM;
 ADLAI E. STEVENSON - VICTIM
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Re report of SA [redacted] 11/30/64 at Seattle.

Enclosed for the Bureau is a copy of a letter and an envelope sent from Seattle, Washington to President LYNDON B. JOHNSON.

This copy was furnished by Special Agent [redacted] U.S. Secret Service, Seattle. He advised that the original of the letter was turned over by the White House Staff to Secret Service headquarters in Washington, D. C., and that copies of it were furnished to Secret Service in Seattle inasmuch as the letter was postmarked at Seattle on November 27, 1964.

The envelope bears the return address, "P.O. Box 349, Seattle, Washington." [redacted] advised that in the investigation conducted to date he has learned that P.O. Box 349, Seattle, is non-existent.

[redacted] reason for furnishing a copy to this office is that in his opinion the letter was prepared by the same individual who prepared the threatening letters to the captioned victims.

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It is requested that the Laboratory compare the handwriting in the attached letter with the handwriting in the letters previously submitted in this case.



1 - [redacted]
1 - Mr. Conley
Room 5714

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Seattle (9-1023)

Date: December 17, 1964

Re: UNSUB;
BARRY GOLDWATER,
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA, et al.;
VICTIMS
EXTORTION
OO: Seattle

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

FBI File No. 9-42073
Lab. No. D-465572 IH

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To:
FBI, Seattle (9-1023)

Re:
UNSUB;
BARRY GOLDWATER,
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA, et al. -
VICTIMS
EXTORTION

Specimens received 12-13-64

Date: December 17, 1964
FBI File No. 9-42073
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Qc12 Photocopy of envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH. 11 NOV 27 1964 PM" addressed to "President Johnson, at his ranch at Johnson City, Texas" and accompanying two-page handwritten letter beginning "President Johnson You are a Disgrace to the whole world,....."

Result of examination:

It was concluded that Qc12 was prepared by the writer of specimens Q1 through Q11, previously submitted in this case.

The identity of the writer of the questioned material in this case has not yet been determined from the handwriting comparisons.

Qc12 is retained.

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Re: **UNSUB;**
BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM;
DEAN RUSK - VICTIM;
ADLAIR E. STEVENSON - VICTIM;
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File # **9-42073-32**
 Lab. # **D-465572 1H**

Examination requested by: **FBI, Seattle (9-1023) Airtel 12/11/64**

Examination requested: **Document**

Date received: **12/13/64**

Result of Examination:

Examination by:

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Specimens submitted for examination

Specimen submitted for examination
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 Johnson City, Texas" and accompanying two-page handwritten
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

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Re: UNSUB;
BARRY GOLDWATER, ~~VICTIM~~,
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA ~~VICTIM~~; *et al*;
~~DEAN~~ - VICTIMS,
ADLAINE STEVENSON, ~~VICTIM~~,
EXTORTION
OO: SE

File # 9-42073-32
Lab. # D-465572 IH

Examination requested by: FBI, Seattle (9-1028) Airtel 12/11/64

Examination requested: Document

Date received: 12/13/64

Result of Examination: *12/13/64*

Examination by:

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- ① Ident Qc12 by units of Q1→11, new
out this case
- ② Identity of units not yet determined from
new analysis
- ③ Qc12 retained

Specimens submitted for examination

Photostocopy of
Qc12 /Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH. 11 NOV 27 1964 PM"
} addressed to "President Johnson, at his Ranch at
} Johnson City, Texas" and accompanying two-page handwritten
letter beginning "President Johnson You are a Disgrace to
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Seattle (9-1023)

Date: February 8, 1965

Re: UNSUB; BARRY GOLDWATER,
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA, et al.,
VICTIMS
EXTORTION

OO: Seattle

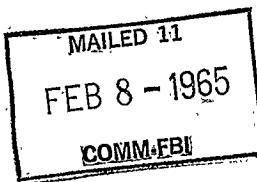
Examination requested by: Seattle

Reference: Letter 1/29/65

* Examination requested: Document

Remarks:

It will be necessary to obtain additional known handwriting and hand printing prepared by ROGERS, in order to conduct additional comparisons in this case.



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REPORT
of theFEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Seattle

Date:
FBI File No.
Lab. No.February 8, 1965
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ROBERT S. MC NAMARA, et al., VICTIMS
EXTORTION

Specimens received 2/1/65

Kc7 Photocopy of registration card dated 6/3/64 bearing known hand printing of FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS

Result of examination:

Due to insufficient comparable material, a definite conclusion could not be reached whether the questioned handwriting on Q1 through Qc12 in this case was prepared by FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS, FBI#748854D, Kc7.

Kc7 is retained.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Re: UNSUB; BARRY GOLDWATER, — VICTIM;
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA, — VICTIM; et al,
DEAN RUSK — VICTIM;
ADLAI E. STEVENSON — VICTIMS
EXTORTION

File # 9-42073-33
Lab. # D-469557 IH

OO: Seattle
Examination requested by: Seattle (9-1023) 1/29/65

Examination requested: Document

Date received: 2/1/65

Result of Examination:

Examination by:

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(1) Due to unavailability met in court further
Q, → c72 by Rogers, FBI# 748854 D, Kc7
(Please add to bx. listing of Rogers)

(2) Kc7 retained

Specimens submitted for examination

Kc7 Photocopy of registration card dated 6/3/64 bearing known hand printing of FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS

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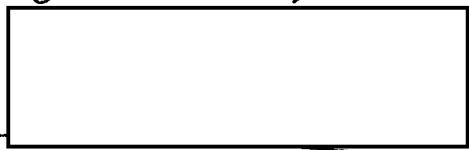
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Robert McNamara

You old War monger

Kc7 FRANCIS ROGERS

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Trotter *LCT 2-465 major files*
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FROM : C. A. Evans W. Conrad

DATE: 2/2/65

SUBJECT: UNSUB -
BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
EXTORTION

PLEASE SEND:

Please search the name of the individual through the records of the Identification Division and return this memorandum with a notation of your findings to -

Employees Security and Special Inquiry Section, Room _____, Justice Building. (In SGE and UN cases, if a record of arrest is found, please enclose, in addition to file copy, 1 copy of the Identification Record for each state in which arrests occurred.)
 Laboratory, Att.: *Dennis*, Ext. 785, re D # 169557

The following identifying data are listed for your assistance (Att.: Special Investigative Division only - in addition to the name or names and the Government agency appearing in the title):

Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Race	Height	Name and aliases (For use of Laboratory) (1) <i>FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS</i> (2) <i>1</i> <i>(DOB 7/8/22 at Sayre, Penna.</i> <i>White male, 5'10", was in military</i> <i>service in World War II, Veterans</i> <i>Administration No. C3049662)</i>	(3)
Date and place of birth		Age	<i>748-854-D</i> <i>Master</i> <i>sp</i> <i>2 visit</i>	
Military Service #	CSC #			
Last known address				
Previous Government employment				
Date SGE security form received				
Other pertinent identifying data (Att.: Lab., including PD #s and location)				

Identification Division Reply

Based upon information furnished, no record located.
 A noncriminal fingerprint record which IS or MAY BE identical was located. This record was searched through the criminal files and no criminal record found.
 The enclosed Identification Record IS or MAY BE identical with the record of the employee, applicant, or subject.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42073)
FROM : ATTENTION: FBI LABORATORY
SUBJECT: SAC, SEATTLE (9-1023)(P)

DATE: 1/29/65

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UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
ROBERT S. McNAMARA - VICTIM;
DEAN RUSK - VICTIM;
ADLAI E. STEVENSON - VICTIM
EXTORTION
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For the information of Philadelphia, UNSUB has mailed threatening letters to the three captioned victims, as well as letters to President LYNDON B. JOHNSON and a Seattle City Councilman. All were postmarked at Seattle, Washington.

[REDACTED] Special Agent, Secret Service, Seattle, has suggested as a suspect FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS inasmuch as ROGERS is being sought by Secret Service as the author of a threatening letter to President JOHNSON. ROGERS was born 7/8/22 at Sayre, Pennsylvania. He is described as white, male, 5'10", 250 pounds in weight. He saw military service in the U. S. Army during World War II and has Veterans Administration Number C3049662. His Veterans file is believed at the Veterans Administration at Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania. Secret Service considers ROGERS as mentally ill.

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Records of the Lutheran Compass Mission, 77 Washington Street, Seattle, reflect that ROGERS resided at this mission from 6/4/64 until 9/18/64. It will be noted that his known residence in Seattle covers the period in which the RUSK letter, the CARROLL letter, and the STEVENSON letter were mailed at Seattle.

Enclosed for the Bureau is a copy of ROGERS' registration card, which contains his handwriting and which was executed at the time he applied for residence at the Lutheran Compass Mission on 6/3/64. It is requested that the handwriting and handprinting on this card be compared with the handwriting and handprinting on the threatening letters in this case.

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Philadelphia is requested to review ROGERS' Veterans Administration file at Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania, and obtain copies of any handwriting. These should be forwarded to the Laboratory for comparison with the handwriting on the letters in this matter.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE Seattle	OFFICE OF ORIGIN Seattle	DATE 2/4/65	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 12/9/64 - 1/29/65
TITLE OF CASE UNKNOWN SUBJECT; BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM; ROBERT S. McNAMARA - VICTIM; DEAN RUSK - VICTIM; ADLAI E. STEVENSON - VICTIM		REPORT MADE BY [Redacted]	TYPED BY KW
		CHARACTER OF CASE EXTORTION	

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REFERENCE: Seattle letter to Bureau dated 1/29/65;
 Bureau letter to Seattle dated 12/17/64;
 Seattle letter to Bureau dated 12/11/64;
 Report of SA [Redacted] dated 11/30/64.

ADMINISTRATIVE:

The name of President LYNDON B. JOHNSON is not being added to the title of this case inasmuch as investigation of the JOHNSON letter is being handled by Secret Service.

LEADS:

PHILADELPHIA DIVISION
At Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania

At the Veterans Administration will review the file of suspect FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS, # C3049662 for specimens of ROGERS handwriting and will forward copies

APPROVED: *[Signature]*

SPECIAL AGENT
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to the Laboratory with the request that his handwriting be compared with the handwriting on the threatening letters in this case.

SEATTLE DIVISION
At Seattle, Washington

Will report the comparison of ROGERS handwriting with the threatening letters.

Will maintain liaison with [redacted] Seattle Police Department to determine whether or not he is successful in identifying the author of the threatening letter to Seattle City Councilman CHARLES M. CARROLL.

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**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION**

Copy to:

1 - USA, Seattle
1 - Secret Service, Seattle

Report of:

[redacted] Office: Seattle, Washington

Date:

February 4, 1965

Field Office File No.:

9-1023

Bureau File No.: 9-42073

Title:

UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
ROBERT S. McNAMARA - VICTIM;
DEAN RUSK - VICTIM;
ADLAI E. STEVENSON - VICTIM

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Character:

EXTORTION

Synopsis:

Anonymous letter postmarked 11/27/64 at Seattle, Washington mailed to President LYNDON B. JOHNSON. Laboratory concluded this letter prepared by the same person who prepared the previous threatening letters in this case.

[redacted] interviewed regarding [redacted] at [redacted] FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS, Veterans Administration # C3049662 suggested as suspect.

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DETAILS:AT SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

On December 9, 1964 [redacted] Special Agent, Secret Service, made available a copy of an anonymous threatening letter which was mailed to President LYNDON B. JOHNSON. The letter was postmarked November 27, 1964 at Seattle, Washington. It has the return address P. O. Box 349, Seattle 1, Washington. It was addressed "President JOHNSON, At his ranch at Johnson City, Texas". The letter was forwarded to the White House from Johnson City. The letter was sent Air Mail, Special Delivery.

The letter consists of the following handwritten message on two sheets of lined paper:

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"President Johnson You are a Disgrace to the whole World; Johnson You Old War Monger You are a murderer, Gangster, War Monger, You are to Blame for all that trouble there is in South Viet nam, the Congo - South Africa, South America, Cuba and Europe, You Can have a thousand guards around you that Won't Save You We will Get You Just the same We got Your number and this is no Bluff, You have already done enough damage to Start a Dozen Wars World War 3, you are the rottenist SOB that ever lived, the Peace loving People Hate you all over the World, and that old Taylor is another rotten War Monger he has got to be Killed, We must Kill all you War Mongers then We will have Peace and not before; Johnson and Company are all a Bunch of Gangsters that includes that old Taylor, Dean Rusk, old McNamara and Several more, We would hate to be in their shoes because death is staring right in their rotten old Faces it can happen any Minute and believe me they are certainly asking for that is for sure, they must be Killed before they old Johnson and his rotten gangsters, - Murderers get this Country in another Big War and get this Country Destroyed and Cause Millions of People to be Killed We Must Kill old Johnson and all his rotten War Mongers then We Will have Peace all over the World, it is these War Mongers causing all the trouble all over the World."

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On January 29, 1965, [redacted] was interviewed and he furnished the following information.

[redacted] He has had [redacted] at the [redacted] Main Post Office since 1951. He explained that he is a [redacted] [redacted] and works out of his home at the above address. Now the Post Office Box is used mainly for business mail.

[redacted] advised that he is not aware of anyone using his Post Office Box as a return address and that he never has had any undelivered mail bearing this return address returned to his box. He stated that approximately one year ago, however, his box was broken into. He stated that he discovered the lock had been forced and that the mail in the box all had been opened and apparently examined. The contents of each letter, however, were replaced and it is [redacted] opinion that someone apparently was looking for checks.

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FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS was suggested as a suspect in this case by Special Agent [redacted] Secret Service, Seattle for the reason that in September 1964 ROGERS sent a postcard to the Chief of Police at Sayre, Pennsylvania in which he made a threat against the life of President LYNDON B. JOHNSON. The postcard was postmarked at Seattle, Washington.

Francis James

Background information on ROGERS in Secret Service files reflects that he was born July 8, 1922 at Sayre, Pennsylvania. He is described as a white male American, 5'10" tall, 250 lbs., and a transient. He has been employed as a seaman. He had military service during World War II and has Veterans Administration # C3049662. His Veterans file is located at Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania. He is considered mentally ill. In connection with his threat against the life of the President, a warrant was issued on October 6, 1964 at Scranton, Pennsylvania charging a violation of Section 871, Title 18, US Code.

Records of the Lutheran Compass Mission, 77

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Washington Street, reflect that ROGERS resided at this mission from June 4, 1964 until September 18, 1964. On June 3, 1964 ROGERS made application for residence at this mission and executed an application form. A copy of this form which has ROGERS handwriting was forwarded to the Laboratory by letter dated January 29, 1965. It will be noted that his known residence in Seattle covers the period in which the RUSK letter, the CARROLL letter, and the STEVENSON letter were mailed at Seattle.



1 - [redacted]
1 - Mr. Conley,
Room 5714

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Seattle (9-1023)

Date: February 19, 1965

Re: UNSUB, aka
Andy Jackson,
Barry Goldwater,
Robert S. McNamara,
et al. - VICTIMS
EXTORTION

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J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

Examination requested by: Bureau

FBI File No.
Lab. No.

9-42073
D-471174 IH

Reference:

Bureau teletype 2/16/65
Department of State, Washington, D.C., letter 2/15/65
Document - Fingerprint

Examination requested:

Remarks:

A separate report is being furnished to you on
the latent fingerprint examination of Q13 and Q14.
Specimens Q13 and Q14 will be retained.

One photocopy each of Q13 and Q14 are enclosed
for your information.

MAILED 6
FEB 19 1965
COMM-FBI

Enclosures (4) (Photocopy of Q13 and Q14, 2 Lab. report)

Tolson _____
Belmont _____
Mohr _____
Casper _____
Callahan _____
Conrad _____
DeLoach _____
Evans _____
Gale _____
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Holmes _____
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MAIL ROOM TELETYPE UNIT

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Conley 5714

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REPORT
of the



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Seattle (9-1023)

Date:
FBI File No.
Lab. No.

February 19, 1965
9-42073 - 35
D-471174 IH

Re: UNSUB, aka
Andy Jackson
Barry Goldwater
Robert S. McNamara
et al. - VICTIMS
EXTORTION

Specimens received

2/17/65

Q13 Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE WASH. 1A PM 8 FEB 1965"
bearing handwritten address "Adlai Stevenson,
United Nations Ambassador, United Nations Headquarters,
New York City, New York"

Q14 Sheet of ruled paper bearing handwritten letter
beginning "U.N. Ambassador Stevenson, . . ."

Result of examination:

It was concluded that Q13 and Q14 were prepared
by the writer of specimens Q1 through Qc12, previously
submitted in this case.

Specimens Q13 and Q14 are retained.

Tolson _____
Belmont _____
Mohr _____
DeLoach _____
Casper _____
Callahan _____
Conrad _____
Evans _____
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

NO LAB FILE

Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: UNSUB, aka
ANDY JACKSON;
BARRY GOLDWATER,
ROBERT S. McNAMARA, et al., VICTIMS
EXTORTION

File # 9-42073-35
Lab. # D-471174 IH

Ans to Seattle (9-1023)

Examination requested by: Bureau (Teletype to SAC, Seattle 2/16/65)

Examination requested: Document, Fingerprint

Date received: 2/17/65

Result of Examination:

Examination by:

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① Ident by with Q1→c12
prev. sub.

② Q13 + Q14 retained - for rpt or 16 hr

Specimens submitted for examination

Q13. Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE WASH. 6A PM 8 FEB 1965" bearing handwritten address "Adlai Stevenson, United Nations Ambassador, United Nations Headquarters, New York City, New York"

Q14. Sheet of ruled paper bearing handwritten letter beginning "U. N. Ambassador Stevenson,"

1-Candy 5714

Lab rpt
2-16-65
FBI-DT

PHOTOGRAPHED

FEB 17 1965

Q13 Business reply envelope
Containing no w.m.
Measures 3.7" x 6.5"

Q14 Sheet of ruled paper (adhesive at
top indicates sheet torn from a
tablet)
Contains no w.m. or unlettered
writing.
Measures 6.0" x 9.0"

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

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Re:

File #
Lab. #

DUSUSA, aka
ALICE JACKSON,
DARCY GOODMAN,
ROBERT P. GOODMAN, and VICTOR

9-12073-35
D-472176 III

Examination requested by:

Examination requested:

Bureau

(dictotype to SAC, Sent on 2/18/65)

Date received:

Result of Examination:

Document, Fingerprint

Examination by

2/27/65

LFPs ~~not~~ Retain Q13 + Q14
in file 2/18/64

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Q 13 & Q14 to LFPs. 230pm 2/18/65 uawz

Specimens submitted for examination

Q13 + Q14 examined and retained in Boxes 2-19-65 pm

SPECIMEN CHECKED AMOUNT DATE PAYABLE TO SIGNED BANKS

- Q13 Envelope postmarked "QUEENS, N.Y. 31 MAR 8 DEC 1965" bearing handwritten address "Malcol Stevenson, United Nations Ambassador, United Nations Headquarters, New York City, New York"
- Q14 Sheet of raised paper bearing handwritten letter beginning "Mr. D. Ambassador Stevenson,"

Q13 + Q14
placed
on card
below file to
send 27
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537

REPORT

of the

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

REC-114

YOUR FILE NO.

9-1023

February 23, 1965

FBI FILE NO.

9-42073

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LATENT CASE NO.

49360

TO:

SAC, Seattle

RE:

UNKNOWN SUBJECT, AKA
 ANDY JACKSON;
 BARRY GOLDWATER,
 ROBERT S. UO NAMURA, ET AL., VICTIMS
 EXTORTION

REFERENCE:

Department of State letter 2-15-65, and

EXAMINATION REQUESTED

Bureau Teletype 2-16-65

SPECIMENS:

Department of State, Washington, D. C.
 Q13 and Q14, envelope and accompanying
 handwritten letter

No latent prints of value were developed
 on specimens, which have been retained.

Laboratory report Separate.

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John Edgar Hoover, Director

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
 UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
 recorded 2-18-65 3:00 pm received 2-18-65/ss
Laboratory Work Sheet

NO LAB FILE

Re: UNSUB, aka
 ANDY JACKSON;
 BARRY GOLDWATER,
 ROBERT S. MCNAULARA, et al., VICTIMS
 LITIGATION

File # 9-42073-36
 Lab. # D-471174 TH
 1c# 49380

→ *Answer to Seattle 19-1023*

Examination requested by: Bureau (Teletype to SAC, Seattle 2/16/65)
 State Dept Let 2/15/65

Examination requested: Document, Fingerprint Date received: 2/17/65

Result of Examination:

Examination by: b6
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Q13 & Q14 examined 2, 11x, Ag NO₃ - No lots of value dev 2-18 pm
 stains removed
 Specimens to be retained
 Lab rpt rec'd

Specimens submitted for examination

Q13 Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE WASH. 3A PM 8 FEB 1965" bearing handwritten address "Adlai Stevenson, United Nations Ambassador, United Nations Headquarters, New York City, New York"

Q14 Sheet of ruled paper bearing handwritten letter beginning "U. N.
 Ambassador Stevenson, * * *"

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Examination completed 4:30 pm 2-18-65 Dictated 2-19-65 pm
 Time Date Date

and 2-23-65

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2/16/65

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URGENT

1 - [REDACTED]
1 - [REDACTED]
1 - Mr. Conley

TO: SAC SEATTLE (9-1023)
FROM: DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42073) *REC-114* *36*
SUBJECT: UNSUB; AKA ANDY JACKSON; BARRY GOLDWATER; ROBERT S.
MCGAMERAS, ET AL - VICTIMS, EXTORTION

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REREP [REDACTED] DATED FEBRUARY FOUR, LAST, AT SEATTLE.
DEPARTMENT OF STATE HAS FURNISHED TO BUREAU UNDATED LETTER
ADDRESSED TO ADLAI STEVENSON, U. N., NEW YORK, NEW YORK, BEARING
POSTMARK FEBRUARY EIGHT, LAST, AT SEATTLE AND RETURN ADDRESS OF
ANDY JACKSON, SEVENTY SEVEN WASHINGTON STREET, SEATTLE, FOUR.
HANDWRITING ON THIS LETTER AND TENOR OF SAME APPEARS VERY SIMILAR
TO THAT IN ITEMS Q ONE THROUGH QC TWELVE.

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IN VIEW OF FACT THAT THIS IS THE FIRST TIME UNSUB HAS USED
NAME ANDY JACKSON, IMMEDIATELY CONDUCT INVESTIGATION TO IDENTIFY
THIS INDIVIDUAL AND PRESENT TO U. S. ATTORNEY.

CURRENT LETTER TO STEVENSON BEING EXAMINED BY FBI LABORATORY
AND COPIES OF SAME AND RESULTS WILL BE FURNISHED TO YOUR OFFICE.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

FEB 16 1965

TELETYPE

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SEE NOTE PAGE 2
REC'D. 2/17/65

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FEB 17 1965

NOTE:

Since March, 1964, a number of Government officials have received threatening type letters all mailed in Seattle, Washington, and bearing generally fictitious addresses. The same individual has also been writing letters to the President and our Seattle Office is maintaining close liaison with Seattle Office of Secret Service. State Department by letter dated 2-15-65 made available to liaison the letter to Mr. Stevenson and this is the first time unsub has used a name. He has written several past letters to Mr. Stevenson in care of the U. N.

The original incoming letter furnished by the State Department is being routed directly to [redacted] in the Laboratory for appropriate examination, both handwriting and Latent Fingerprints.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

FEB 16 1965

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

FEB 16 1965

TELETYPE

FBI SEATTLE

FBI WASH DC

524PM URGENT 2-16-65 RPP

TO SEATTLE (9-1023)

FROM DIRECTOR (9-42073) 1P

SUBJECT: UNSUB; AKA ANDY JACKSON; BARRY GOLDWATER, ROBERT S.

MCNAMERA, ET AL-VICTIMS, EXTORTION

REREP [REDACTED] DATED FEBRUARY FOUR, LAST, AT SEATTLE.

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March 2, 1965

1 - Mr. Conley

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To: SAC, Seattle (9-1023)
From: Director, FBI (9-42073)

UNSUB, AKA
ANDY JACKSON;
BARRY GOLDWATER, ET AL. -
VICTIMS.
EXTORTION
OO:SEATTLE

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ReButel 2/16/65.

Advise by return mail results of current investigation conducted to identify and locate unknown subject in this matter.

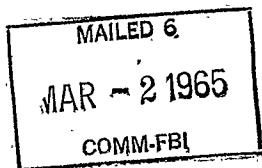
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NOTE: Since March, 1964, a number of Government officials, including former Senator Goldwater, have received threatening-type letters all mailed at Seattle. This person has also been writing letters to the President. In retel, we advised Seattle that Adlai Stevenson had received letter at UN in which unsub used name Andy Jackson, 77 Washington Street, Seattle. No information received from Seattle to date.

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64 MAR 11 1965 MAIL ROOM TELETYPE UNIT

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Date: March 5, 1965

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL
(Priority)

Mr. Tolson
Mr. Belmont
Mr. Mohr
Mr. DeLoach
Mr. Casper
Mr. Callahan
Mr. Conrad
Mr. Felt
Mr. Gale
Mr. Rosen
Mr. Sullivan
Mr. Tavel
Mr. Trotter
Tele. Room
Miss H. Hines
Miss Gandy

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42073)

FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (9-1023)(P)

SUBJECT: UNSUB; aka
Andy Jackson
Barry Goldwater, ETAL-
VICTIMS;
EXTORTION

OO: SEATTLE

*Spicy*Re Bureau airtel, 3/2/65, and re report of SA.
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Investigation Seattle reflects return address on undated letter addressed to ADLAI STEVENSON is the address of the Compass Center Lutheran Mission, which is in the heart of the skidroad area of Seattle and is the main place of assistance to homeless men and winos. A thorough search of the records together with contact with employees of this mission fails to produce any clue as to the identity of Unsub. It is of note that the letter addressed to ROBERT S. McNAMARA postmarked at Seattle on 3/18/64, had the same return address of the Compass Lutheran Mission.

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The latest letter has been discussed with the Seattle Police Department, and no logical suspects have been developed.

Investigation continuing.

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2 - Seattle
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Special Agent in Charge

64 MAR 10 1965

3/8/65

Airtel

1 - Mr. De Loach
1 - Mr. O. H. Bartlett
1 - [redacted]
1 - [redacted]
1 - Mr. Conley

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To: SAC, Seattle (9-1023)
From: Director, FBI (9-42073)
Subject: UNSUB, AKA
ANDY JACKSON;
BARRY GOLDWATER, ET AL.
VICTIMS
EXTORTION
OO: SEATTLE

ReBuairtel 3/5/65.

On 3/5/65 the office of Senator Thomas H. Kuchel of California furnished to the Bureau a letter addressed to Senator Kuchel postmarked 2 February, 1965, at Seattle bearing return address on the envelope of Jack Monahan, 77 Washington Street, Seattle 4, Washington. This letter, handwritten in ink, from its tenor seems to be similar to other letters received in this case. It is also observed the handwriting appears similar to the other letters received in this matter.

The original letter is being examined by the FBI Laboratory and the Identification Division and copies of same and results of such examinations will be forwarded to your office. You should furnish one copy of the letter to Secret Service, Seattle along with the results of the Laboratory and Identification Division examinations.

In view of the continued mailing of letters by the unsub to various persons in public office, you should insure that imaginative investigative activity is being conducted by your office to identify the unsub at the earliest opportunity. As requested by the Bureau airtel 3/2/65, the Bureau desires to know the results of the current investigation. Handle.

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(SEE NOTE PAGE 2)

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MAIL-ROOM TELETYPE UNIT

REC-11

9 MAR 9 1965

NOTE: Since March , 1964, a number of Government officials including Secretary of State Dean Rusk have received threatening-type letters all mailed in Seattle, Washington, and bearing either fictitious addresses or addresses where the individual not established to reside. This same individual has also been writing letters to the President, and our Seattle Office is maintaining close liaison with Secret Service. Secret Service has been advised concerning this current letter to present to Dean Rusk.

The original incoming letter received by Mr. DeLoach from Senator Kuchel's office is being routed to [redacted] in the Lab for appropriate examination and should also be forwarded to the Latent Fingerprint Section for examination. Lab is requested to make 4 copies of the letter and upon completion of examination, forward 3 copies to the Seattle Office and one copy to the Extortion Desk.

As this communication was forwarded in an envelope to Mr. DeLoach from Senator Kuchel's office without a written communication or other type transmittal form, Mr. DeLoach's office is requested to advise Senator Kuchel's office that this matter is under investigation by the FBI.

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3/5/65

Airtel

1 - Mr. O. H. Bartlett
1 - [redacted]
1 - [redacted]
1 - Mr. Conley

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To: SAC, Seattle (9-1023)
From: Director, FBI (9-42073)
Subject: UNSUB, AKA
ANDY JACKSON,
BARRY GOLDWATER, ET AL.
VICTIMS
EXTORTION
OO: SEATTLE

ReButel 2/16/65 and Buairtel 3/2/65.

Enclosed herewith are two copies of a letter dated 3/2/65, from Office of Security, Department of State, which forwarded to the Bureau a threatening letter addressed to Secretary of State Dean Rusk postmarked Seattle, Washington, 2/26/65, and bearing a return address of Ed Davis, 2125 Blanchard Street, Seattle, Washington.

From general observation of contents of letter it would appear this is another in the series of letters being forwarded by the unsub to numerous individuals in Government service.

It should be noted on the letter from State they have listed the identities of three of their employees who have handled this particular letter in the event such information would be necessary in connection with latent fingerprint examination.

REC-41 9-42073-40
The original letter is being examined by the FBI Laboratory and the Identification Divisions and copies of same and results of such examinations will be forwarded to your office.

Enclosures (2)

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(SEE NOTE PAGE 2)

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MAIL ROOM TELETYPE UNIT

Letter to SAC, Seattle
RE: UNSUB, AKA ANDY JACKSON, ET AL

NOTE: Since March, 1964, a number of Government officials including Secretary of State Dean Rusk have received threatening-type letters all mailed in Seattle, Washington, and bearing either fictitious addresses or addresses where the individual not established to reside. This same individual has also been writing letters to the President, and our Seattle Office is maintaining close liaison with Secret Service. Secret Service has been advised concerning this current letter to present to to Dean Rusk.

The original incoming letter furnished by [redacted] State Department is being routed directly to [redacted] in the Lab for appropriate examination and should also be forwarded to Latent Fingerprint Section for examination. Lab is requested to make five copies of this letter and upon completion of examination forward three copies to the Seattle Office and two copies to the Extortion Desk.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Philadelphia (9-2600)

Date: March 26, 1965

Re: Unsub; Barry Goldwater -
VICTIM; Robert S. McNamara -
VICTIM; Dean Rusk - VICTIM;
Adlai E. Stevenson - VICTIM;
EXTORTION
(OO: Seattle)

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

Examination requested by: Philadelphia

FBI Lab No. 103
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Lab No. 103

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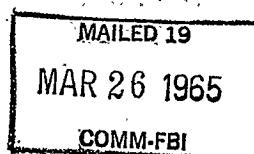
Reference: Letter March 15, 1965

EX-III

Examination requested: Document

Remarks:

Attempts should be made to obtain additional known handwriting prepared by ROGERS.



Enclosures (3) (K8, 2 Lab report)

Tolson 2 - Seattle (9-1023) Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)

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MAIL ROOM TELETYPE UNIT

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**REPORT
of the**



**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

To: **FBI, Philadelphia (9-2600)**

Date: **March 26, 1965**

Re: **Unsub; Barry Goldwater - VICTIM;
Robert S. McNamara - VICTIM;
Dean Rusk - VICTIM;
Adlai E. Stevenson - VICTIM;
EXTORTION**

FBI File No.
Lab. No.

**9-42073
D-473851 IH**

Specimens received **March 17, 1965**

K8 One-page handwritten letter dated 2/1/45, Request for Change of Address form dated 4/28/42, and Report of Physical Examination form bearing known handwriting of **FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS**

Result of examination:

Due to the difference in time in the preparation of the questioned and known material and because of unexplained variations, a definite conclusion could not be reached whether the questioned handwriting on the evidence previously submitted in this case was prepared by **FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS, K8**.

K8 has been photographed and is returned to Philadelphia herewith.

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Holmes _____
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

NO LAB FILE

Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: Unsub; BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
ROBERT S. MG NAMARA - VICTIM;
DEAN RUSK - VICTIM;
ADEAI E. STEVENSON - VICTIM;
EXTORTION
(OO: Seattle)

File # 9-42073-44
Lab. # D-473851 IH

Examination requested by: Philadelphia (9-2600) 3/15/65

Examination requested: Document Date received: 3/17/65

Result of Examination:

Examination by:

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Kg photo'd + ret'd

Specimens submitted for examination

K8 One-page handwritten letter dated 2/1/45, Request for
Change of Address form dated 4/28/42, and Report of
Physical Examination form bearing known handwriting of
FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS.

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Lab report
3/26/65
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42073)
ATTENTION: FBI LABORATORY

FROM : GS SAC, PHILADELPHIA (9-2600) (RUC)

DATE: 3/15/65

SUBJECT: UNSUB; BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
ROBERT S. McNAMARA - VICTIM;
DEAN RUSK - VICTIM;
ADLAINE STEVENSON - VICTIM;
EXTORTION
(OO: SEATTLE)

K8
473851

Re Seattle letter to Bureau, 1/29/65, and Seattle report of 2/4/65 by SA [redacted]

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The Seattle Office advised that the Secret Service, Seattle, suggested as a suspect in this case, one FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS, inasmuch as ROGERS is being sought by the Secret Service as the author of a threatening letter to President JOHNSON. ROGERS was born 7/8/22 at Sayre, Pa., and was described as a white male, 5' 10", 250 pounds. He is U. S. Army veteran of World War II and has been assigned Veterans Administration number C3049662. Seattle requests at Philadelphia to review the Veterans Administration file pertaining to ROGERS at the Wilkes-Barre office of the Veterans Administration for the purpose of obtaining known handwriting of ROGERS to be forwarded to the FBI Laboratory for comparison with letters previously received in this matter.

Veterans Administration, Wilkes-Barre, Pa., on 3/8/65, reviewed the Veterans Administration folder pertaining to FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS, number C3049662. The only known handwriting specimens contained therein were the following three items which are enclosed herewith for the Bureau's information:

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- (1) A letter addressed Dear Sirs, dated February 1, 1945 signed FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS
- (2) VA form 572, dated 4/28/42 containing signature FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS
- (3) VA form 2545, undated, containing signature FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS.

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2-Bureau (9-42073) (Enc. 3) (RM)
1-Seattle (9-1023) (Info) ENCL
1-Philadelphia (9-2600)

EX-III

Lab-report
3/26/65
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CTA/pah Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan
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GIVEN SIX

PH 9-2600

These three items should be returned to the Philadelphia Office upon completion of comparison by the FBI Laboratory with letters previously received in this case.

[redacted] advised that ROGERS has been off the Veterans Administration rolls since 1956 when he failed to report for a physical examination. He had been receiving up to that time a ten percent disability for a schizophrenic reaction condition. ROGERS' last known address, according to Veterans Administration files, was 101 Fulton Street, Sayre, Pa. As stated above, the FBI Laboratory, FBI Lab number D-469557IH, is requested to compare the known handwriting of suspect, FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS, with letters previously received in this investigation in the possession of the laboratory. Upon completion of this comparison, the specimens should be returned to the Philadelphia Office which will in turn return them to the Veterans Administration, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

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Philadelphia is placing this case in an RUC status.

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NO LAB FILE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Unsub; BARRY GOLDWATER ^{Laboratory Work Sheet}
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM;
Re: DEAN RUSK - VICTIM;
ADEAI E. STEVENSON - VICTIM;
EXTORTION
(OO: Seattle)

9-42073-41
D-473851 IH
File #
Lab. #

Philadelphia (9-2600) 3/15/65

Examination requested by: Document

3/17/65

Examination requested:

Date received: [redacted]

Result of Examination:

Examination by:

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Enveloped 3-29-65
at

file
in back
and file
in
NM

K8 Specimens submitted for examination
One-page handwritten letter dated 2/1/45, Request for
Change of Address form dated 4/28/42, and Report of
Physical Examination form bearing known handwriting of
FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS



I - [redacted]

I - MR. CONLEY
Room 5714

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Seattle (9-1023)

Date: March 10, 1965

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UNSUB, aka ANDY JACKSON;
SENATOR THOMAS H. KUCHEL,
BARRY GOLDWATER, et al.
Re: VICTIMS
EXTORTION

OO: Seattle

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

Examination requested by:

Bureau

FBI File No.
Lab. No.

9-42073
D-472844 IH
D-473001 IH

Reference:

Bureau airtels 3/5/65, 3/8/65
Department of State, Washington, D. C., letter 3/2/65
Document - Fingerprint

Examination requested:

Remarks:

A separate report is being furnished to you on
the latent fingerprint examination of Q15 through Q18 and
the ALSO SUBMITTED material. Three photocopies each of
specimens Q15 through Q18 are being furnished to Seattle
herewith.

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For your investigative information, it is pointed
out that the handwriting on Q1 through Q18 in this case is
quite characteristic and the possibility exists that a posi-
tive identification can be reached in this case if known
handwriting of suspects is submitted, either dictated or
undictated. A photocopy of a portion of Q10 is also being
enclosed for your assistance on which is illustrated some
of the easily identifiable handwriting characteristics of
the writer of specimens Q1 through Q18. Any dictated hand-
writing samples which you may obtain do not have to be
extensive in nature but should include the wording "We hate
you old rotten war mongers and gangsters. You are going to
start a whole world war, you murderers."

MAILED S REC-56 9-42073-42
MAR 10 1965 MCT-14

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Tolson _____
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Callahan _____
Conrad _____
DeLoach _____
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Tele. Room _____
Holmes _____
Gandy _____

Enclosures (15) (3 photocopies each of Q15 through Q18, one
photocopy of a portion of Q10, 2 Lab report)

ENCL ATTACHED

ADMINISTRATIVE PAGE

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John 5714
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**REPORT
of the**



**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

To: FBI, Seattle (9-1023)

Re: UNSUB, aka ANDY JACKSON;
SENATOR THOMAS H. KUCHEL,
BARRY GOLDWATER, et al. - VICTIMS
EXTORTION

Date: March 10, 1965
FBI File No. 9-42073
Lab. No. D-472844 IH
D-473001 IH

Specimens received 3/8/65

Q15 Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH. 1B FEB 26 1965 PM" bearing handwritten address "Dean Rusk. Secratery of State. the White House. Washington, D. C."

Q16 Accompanying handwritten letter beginning "You murderer - gangster and war monger..." and ending on reverse side "...list to be killed believe me"

ALSO SUBMITTED: Blank sheet of ruled paper

Specimens received 3/5/65

Q17 Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH. 1A FEB 2 1965 AM" bearing handwritten address "U. S. Senator thomas H. Kuchel, the White House, Washington D. C."

Q18 One-page handwritten letter beginning "thomas H. Kuchel - You are an old..." and ending "...we are saying here;"

Result of examination:

It was concluded that the questioned handwriting on Q15 through Q18 was prepared by the writer of specimens Q1 through Q14, previously submitted in this case.

Q15 through Q18 have been photographed and are being retained in the files of the Bureau.

FMD:GW (5)

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Tolson _____
Belmont _____
Mohr _____
Casper _____
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Conrad _____
DeLoach _____
Evans _____
Gale _____
Rosen _____
Sullivan _____
Tavel _____
Trotter _____
Tele. Room _____
Holmes _____
Gandy _____

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3-9-65
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NO LAB FILE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: UNSUB, aka
Andy Jackson;
BARRY GOLDWATER, et al.
VICTIMS;
EXTORTION

File # 9-42073 ~~4-2~~
Lab. # D-473001 IH

L A T E N T

OO: Seattle

Examination requested by: Senator Thomas H. Kuchel No ref.

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint Date received: 3-5-65

Result of Examination:

Examination by

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A photocopy of a portion of Q10 is also enclosed for your info, on which is illustrated some of the easily identifiable low class. of the writer (Q, 178). Undetectable by from suspects such as found on Hotel registration cards would be of assistance. Dictated low samples from suspects do not have to be extensive in volume but should contain something. Specimens submitted for examination.

"We late

Q17 Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH. 1A AM 2 FEB 1965" bearing handwritten address "U. S. Senator Thomas H. Kuchel, the White House, Washington D. C."

Q18 One-page handwritten letter beginning "Thomas H. Kuchel - You are an old...." and ending "...we are saying here;"

You ~~are~~ old rather than mongers and gangsters
~~you~~ ~~were~~ ^a ~~old world~~ You are going to start ^a war, you
murderers;

Sat report
3/10/65
FMD/BK

PHOTOGRAPHED

3/10/65

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3/8/65
GW

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

LATENT

Laboratory Work Sheet

NO LAB FILE

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9-42078
D-472844 IB

Re: **UNSUB, aka ANDY JACKSON;
BARRY GOLDWATER, et al. -
VICTIMS
EXTORTION**

File #
Lab. #

OO: Seattle

L A T E N T

Examination requested by: **Bureau**

Examination requested: **Document, Fingerprint** Date received: **3/8/65**

Result of Examination:

Examination by:

Evidence to be retained in Bufile **Q-15** 3/9/65

(Q-15, Q-16 + 1 Letter 3/8/65 3/11/65 43584)

Evidence ret to per call 3/11 **43584**

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Specimens submitted for examination

Q15 Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH. 18 FEB 26 1965 PM" bearing handwritten address "Dean Rusk. Secretary of State. the White House. Washington, D. C."

Q16 Accompanying handwritten letter beginning "You murderer + gangster and war monger . . ." and ending on reverse side ". . . list to be killed believe me"

ALSO SUBMITTED: Blank sheet of ruled paper

Andy Jackson
Retained
in
Q15 - held
file
for serial
43584

RECORDED
3-9-65
ndc

NO LAB FILE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: UNSUB, aka
Andy Jackson;
BARRY GOLDWATER, et al.
VICTIMS:
EXTORTION

File # 9-42073 42
Lab. # D-473001 IH

L A T E N T

OO: Seattle

Examination requested by: Senator Thomas H. Kuchel

No ref.

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Date received:

Result of Examination:

Examination by:

Evidence to be retained in Buf. 1-5

3-5-65
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3/9/65

Rec'd Q-17 & Q-18 LEPs 3/10/65 9:35 AM ap

[Signature]

Specimens submitted for examination

Q17 Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH. 1A AM 2 FEB 1965" bearing handwritten address "U. S. Senator Thomas H. Kuchel, the White House, Washington D. C."

Q18 One-page handwritten letter beginning "Thomas H. Kuchel - You are an old..." and ending "...we are saying here;"

*Q17 + Q18
retained on
end-to-end
serial 27*

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

LATENT

Laboratory Work Sheet

NO LAB FILE

Re: UNSUB, aka ANDY JACKSON; Senator Thomas H. Kuchel
BARRY GOLDWATER, et al. - Victims Extortion

File # 9-42073-42
Lab. # D-472844 IH

OO: Seattle

L A T E N T

Examination requested by: Bureau

*Dept. of State, Washington D.C. Letter 3-2-65
Document, Enclosed Airtel to Seattle 3-5-65*

Examination requested: Document Date received: 3/8/65 3/8

Result of Examination:

Examination by: b6
b7c

① Ident Q₁₅ → 18 by virtue of Q₁ → 18 previously submitted.

This case.

② Q₁₅ → 18 photo & retained (Sep 9/65 or later)

3 copies each of Q₁₅ → 18 furnished to Seattle D.C.
(Also sending a photocopy of portion of Q₁₀, previously submitted.)

Specimens submitted for examination

Q15 Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH. 1B FEB 26 1965 PM" bearing handwritten address "Dean Rusk. Secretary of State. the White House. Washington, D. C."

Q16 Accompanying handwritten letter beginning "You murderer - gangster and war monger..." and ending on reverse side "...list to be killed believe me"

ALSO SUBMITTED: Blank sheet of ruled paper

TO Seattle (9-1023)

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Reference:

Dept. of State, Wash. D.C.
1st 3/2/65

3rd airtels 3/5/65 + 3/8/65

For your info, this has an Q₁ → 18 this case

Lab report 3/10/65 is quite characteristic & poss. exculpts that

a poss. ident can be made in this case if the
law is satisfied of suspect's conduct or dictated (see next worksheet)

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Q15 White bond envelope containing no
watermark.

Measures 4.15" x 9.5" x .0038

Q16 Sheet of ruled paper measuring
8.9" x 10.0" x .0032

Contains Wm. HYTONE

This was registered for Western
Tablet & Stationery Co., St. L.
Joseph, Missouri (or Hilman
Building, Dayton 2, Ohio).

Has adhesive at top indicating sheet
has been torn from a pad or tablet -



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537

REPORT

of the

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

REC-109

YOUR FILE NO.

9-1023

March 11, 1965

FBI FILE NO.

9-42073 - 43
49380

LATENT CASE NO.

TO:

SAC, Seattle

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RE:

UNSUB, AKA
ANDY JACKSON;
BARRY GOLDWATER, ET AL. - VICTIMS
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REFERENCE:

EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY Bureau

SPECIMENS:

Q15 through Q18, two envelopes and two letters
One blank sheet of lined paperNo latent prints of value were developed on
any of the evidence.Laboratory report and disposition of evidence
separate.

MAILED 6
MAR 11 1965
COMM-FBI

WTM:jpm
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58 MAR 25 1965

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John Edgar Hoover

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
Recorded: 3-10-65/12 noon LATENT Received: 3-10-65/cbg
Laboratory Work Sheet NO LAB FILE

Re: UNSUB, aka ANDY JACKSON;
BARRY GOLDWATER, et al. -
VICTIMS
EXTORTION

File # 9-42073 - 43
Lab. # D-472844 IH

Lc# 49380

00: Seattle

L A T E N T

Examination requested by: Bureau

anted 3/5/65

Examination requested: **Document**

Date received: 3/8/65

Result of Examination:

Examination by:

no slats of value clear - $\frac{1}{2}$ inns, at cost 3/11 ^{extra}
Evidence returned to [redacted] per request & call 3/11 ^{extra}
Rev [redacted] - based on CI search - too many possibles for
andy Jackson.
Lab report refp.

Specimens submitted for examination

Q15 Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH. 1B FEB 26 1965 PM" bearing handwritten address "Dean Rusk. Secretary of State. the White House. Washington, D. C."

Q16 Accompanying handwritten letter beginning "You murderer - gangster and war monger..." and ending on reverse side "...list to be killed believe me"

Lats. rem. up to this case not of imports. O'Neil,
Answer to F.B.I., Seattle (9-1023) Telford
no opps here far where. 3/11/1945

Amal 3/11/65
4pm - 5pm

Examination completed: Date 3/11/65 Time 9:25 AM Dictated: Date 3/11/65

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3-9-65
ndc

NO LAB FILE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Recorded: 3-10-65/12 noon Received: 3-10-65/cbg

Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: UNSUB, aka
Andy Jackson;
BARRY GOLDWATER, et al.
VICTIMS;
EXTORTION

File # 9-42073-43
Lab. # D-473001 IH

LC# 49380

L A T E N T

Brought 3/8/65

OO: Seattle

Examination requested by: Senator Thomas H. Kuchel

No ref.

3-5-65

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Date received: ~~EXXXXX~~

Result of Examination:

Examination by:

no lots of value dev. F₂, min, & sm. 3/11/65

Evidence ret to per call & report

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Per - based on CI search - too many possibilities for
Andy Jackson.

Lots rem und in this case not of prints O'Neil, & Tuford
Specimens submitted for examination no prints.

Q17 Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH. 1A AM 2 FEB 1965"
bearing handwritten address "U. S. Senator Thomas H.
Kuchel, the White House, Washington D. C."

Q18 One-page handwritten letter beginning "Thomas H.
Kuchel - You are an old...." and ending "...we are
saying here;"

Law rpt. sep.

Answer to R&I, Seattle (9/023)

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Ques 3/11/65
W.M.S. 5pm

Examination completed: Date 3/11/65 Time 9:25A ~~return~~

Dictated: Date 3/11/65 ~~return~~

3/24/65

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To: SAC, Seattle (9-1023) PERSONAL ATTENTION
From: Director, FBI (9-42073)
Subject: UNKNOWN SUBJECT, AKA:
ANDY JACKSON,
BARRY GOLDWATER, ET AL,
VICTIMS
EXTORTION
CO: SEATTLE

ReBiairtel 3/8/65.

Mr. William C. Hunt, Chief, Security Services Division, Office of the Secretary of Defense, furnished to the Bureau an undated letter addressed to Secretary of Defense Robert McNamara which was in an envelope postmarked Seattle, Washington, A.M., 1 Mar., 1965. The envelope bears the return address of Dave Willingham, 804 Virginia Street, Seattle 1, Washington. This letter, handwritten in ink, appears to be similar to other letters received in this case based on both the handwriting and the tenor of the letter itself.

The original letter is being examined by the FBI Laboratory and the Identification Division and copies of same and results of such examinations will be forwarded to your office. You should furnish one copy of the letter to Secret Service, Seattle, along with the results of the Laboratory and Identification Division examinations.

EX-100 REC 79-42073-44
From a review of the Bureau's file in this case, it is noted that this current letter written by the unknown subject constitutes the eighth such letter written by him to prominent Federal officials. It is further noted that since February 2, 1965, this is the fourth such letter the unknown subject has written to the victims.

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MAR 24 1965
COMM/FBI
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30 MAR 30 1965

MAIL ROOM 441 TELETYPE UNIT

19 MAR 25 1965

Airtel to SAC, Seattle
RE: UNKNOWN SUBJECT, AKA., ET AL

It is noted that in your airtel of 3/5/65 you advise that the return address appearing on the letter addressed to Adlai Stevenson, postmarked 2/8/65, is an address for the Compass Center Lutheran Mission in the heart of Seattle's skidroad area. Based on the type of return addresses being utilized by the unknown subject, it would appear that most of such addresses are in the downtown area of Seattle and the possibility exists that this person is a wino or one who frequents and stays at missions operated by Churches, Salvation Army, etc.

Bulet of 3/10/65 set forth in detail key characteristics of the unknown subject's handwriting which should be utilized at such time as logical suspects are interviewed and specimens obtained. In this same regard, it would appear that the key to locating and identifying the unknown subject may well be found in handwriting examinations.

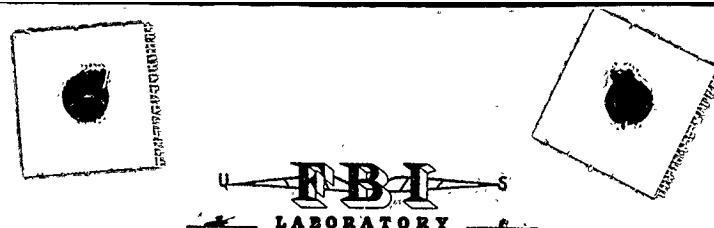
Accordingly, consideration should be given to concentrating on appropriate missions in the downtown Seattle area, including review of registers, employment applications, and similar-type documents which could result in the solution of this matter. You should also remain alert to the fact the unknown subject has now used three different names on the return envelopes other than Andy Jackson. It is pointed out the above comments are by no means all inclusive, and, of course, it is your responsibility to insure that appropriate attention is given to this investigation.

Within two weeks of the receipt of this letter you are instructed to furnish the Bureau detailed results of investigation being conducted by your office in an effort to bring this matter to a logical conclusion.

NOTE: Since March, 1964, a number of Government officials including Secretary of State Dean Rusk have received threatening-type letters all mailed in Seattle, Washington, and bearing either fictitious addresses or addresses where the individual not established to reside. This same individual has also been writing letters to the President, and our Seattle Office is maintaining close liaison with Secret Service.

The original letter to Senator McNamara was furnished to [redacted] Liaison Section, by Mr. Hunt on 3/19/65. Department of Defense placed the letter in a plastic envelope in order to protect b6 any latent prints. b7c

The original letter to Mr. McNamara is being routed directly to [redacted] in the Lab for appropriate examination and this letter should also be forwarded to Latent Fingerprint Section for examination. The Lab is requested to make 3 copies of this letter and forward to the Seattle Office with the ~~xxk~~ results of the Lab examination.



1- [redacted]
1-Mr. Conley
Room 5714

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Seattle (9-1023)

Date: March 29, 1965

Re UNKNOWN SUBJECT, aka;
Andy Jackson;
Barry Goldwater, et al.
VICTIMS

EXTORTION

OO: Seattle

Examination requested by: Seattle

Reference: Airtel 3/24/65

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Remarks:

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

FBI File No.

Lab. No.

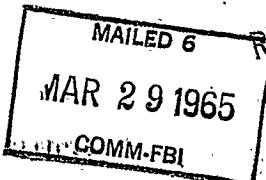
9-42073
D-474791 IH

A separate report is being furnished to Seattle on the latent fingerprint examination of Q19 and Q20. Three copies each of Q19 and Q20 are enclosed herewith for Seattle.

ENC. BEHIND FILE
ENCLOSURE
Enclosures (8) (Three photographs each of Q19, Q20, 2 Lab report)

Tolson _____
Belmont _____
Mohr _____
Casper _____
Callahan _____
Conrad _____
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Sullivan _____
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Holmes _____
Gandy _____

EMD:ca (5)



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EX-101
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**REPORT
of the**



**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

To: **FBI, Seattle (9-1023)**

Re: **UNKNOWN SUBJECT, aka;
Andy Jackson;
Barry Goldwater, et al.
VICTIMS
EXTORTION**

Date: **March 29, 1965**

FBI-File No. **D-15073**

Lab. No. **D-474791 XM**

Specimens received

3/25/65

Q19 Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH. AM 1 MAR 1965 1B"
bearing handwritten address "Robert Mc Namara, Secretary
of defense the white house, Washington, D. C."

**Q20 Accompanying one-page handwritten letter beginning "Robert
Mc Namara; You rotten...," and ending "...to that old
Scar in Russia."**

Result of examination:

It was concluded that Q19 and Q20 were prepared by*
the writer of specimens Q1 through Q18, previously submitted in
this case.

Q19 and Q20 have been photographed and are retained.

TMD:ca (5)

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Tolson	<input type="checkbox"/>
Belmont	<input type="checkbox"/>
Johr	<input type="checkbox"/>
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asper	<input type="checkbox"/>
Gallahan	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Recorded
3/26/65
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

NO LAB FILE

Laboratory Work Sheet

March 26, 1965

Re: UNKNOWN SUBJECT, aka;
Andy Jackson;
Barry Goldwater, et al.
VICTIMS
EXHUMATION
OO: Seattle

File # 9-42073-45
Lab. # D-474791 IH

LATENT

Examination requested by: FBI, Seattle (9-1023)

Airtel 3/24/65

Examination requested by: Document - Fingerprint

Date received: 3/25/65

Result of Examination:

Examination by:

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① I dent a19 + 20 by prints of Q17 & 18,
per sub
② Q19 + 20 photo's of evidence (8x10)
in latent exam 3 copies each of
a19. + 20 sent to lab for sl

Specimens submitted for examination

Q19 Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH. AM 1 MAR 1965 1B"
bearing handwritten address "Robert Mc Namara, Secretary
of defense the white house, Washington, D. C.
handwritten

Q20 Accompanying one-page/letter beginning "Robert Mc Namara:
You rotten....." and ending "...to that old Scar in Russia."

- Mt Conley 5714

Trans. for P.D.
3/26/65
JGD/d

PHOTOGRAPHED

MAR 25 1965

Recorded
3/26/65
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

NO LAB FILE

Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: UNKNOWN SUBJECT, aka;
Andy Jackson;
Barry Goldwater, et al.
VICTIMS
EXHIBITION
OO: Seattle

File #
Lab. #

9-42073
D-474791 IR

LATENT

Examination requested by: FBI, Seattle (Q-1023)

airtel 3/24/65

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Date received:

3/25/65

Result of Examination:

Examination by:

~~Q19 & Q20~~ Q19 + Q20 to be retained
Q19 + Q20 retained in file.
W/F 3/26/65.

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in Bureau
files

return to []
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Specimens submitted for examination

Q19 ~~Q27~~

Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH, AM 1 MAR 1965 1B"
bearing handwritten address "Robert Mc Namara, Secretary
of defense the white house, Washington, D. C."

handwritten

Q20 ~~Q27~~

Accompanying one-page/letter beginning "Robert Mc Namara:
You rotten...." and ending "...to that old bear in Russia."

Q19 + Q20 & CEPs 9:30 AM 3-29-65 pm



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537

REPORT

of the

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO.

8-1028

March 31, 1965

FBI FILE NO.

8-42073

LATENT CASE NO.

59330

TO: SAC, Seattle

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RE: UNKNOWN SUBJECT, AKA
 ANDY JACKSON,
 BARRY GOLDWATER, ET AL.
 VICTIMS
 EXPLOSION

REFERENCE: Bureau wired to Seattle 3/24/68

EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: Bureau

SPECIMENS: Q19, envelope

Q20, accompanying one-page handwritten letter

Three latent fingerprints and four latent palm prints developed on envelope (Q19) and two latent fingerprints and one latent impression of a lower joint of a finger developed on letter (Q20) are of value.

Laboratory report separate.

Specimens retained in Bureau.

REC- 99

9-42073-46

6 APR 24 1965

MAILED 6
MAR 31 1965
COMM-FBI

John Edgar Hoover

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Re: UNKNOWN SUBJECT, aka
Andy Jackson;
Barry Goldwater, et al.
VICTIMS
EXTORTION
OO: Seattle

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File # 9-42073 46
Lab. # D-474791 IH

lc# 59380

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airtel 3/24/65

Examination requested by: FBI, Seattle (9-1023)

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Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Date received: 3/25/65

Result of Examination:

Examination by:

Q19 + Q20 to Photo (SN) 3/29. CG

Called CI in Willingboro, N.J. CI. CG No ^{to} _{for}
3 lat. fpt's & 4 lat. p.p.'s of value dev. (SN) on Q 19. CG 3/29
2 lat. fpt's. & 1 lat. imp. of a lower finger print dev. (SN) on Q20.
Lat fpt's. not "Pop Ten".

Specimens submitted for examination

Q19 Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH. AM 1 MAR 1965 1B" bearing handwritten address "Robert Mc Namara, Secretary of defense the white house, Washington, D. C." handwritten

Q20 Accompanying one-page/letter beginning "Robert Mc Namara; You rotten...." and ending "...to that old scar in Russia."

Lab. report separate.
Specimens retained by files.

Examination completed

2:40 P.M. 3/30/65
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE SEATTLE	OFFICE OF ORIGIN SEATTLE	DATE 4/8/65	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 2/17 - 4/7/65
TITLE OF CASE CHANGED UNKNOWN SUBJECT; BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM; ROBERT S. McNAMARA - VICTIM; DEAN RUSK - VICTIM; ADLAI E. STEVENSON - VICTIM; THOMAS H. KUCHEL - VICTIM		REPORT MADE BY SA [redacted]	TYPED BY cmh
CHARACTER OF CASE EXTORTION			

The title of this case is being marked changed to reflect the addition of the name of Senator THOMAS H. KUCHEL who received a letter from the unknown subject postmarked Seattle, Washington, February 2, 1965 a.m.

REFERENCE: Report of SA [redacted] 2/4/65, Seattle;
 Bureau teletype to Seattle, 2/16/65;
 Bureau letter to Seattle, 2/19/65;
 Bureau airtel to Seattle, 3/5/65;
 Bureau airtel to Seattle, 3/8/65;
 Philadelphia letter to Bureau, 3/15/65;
 Bureau airtel to Seattle, 3/24/65;
 Bureau letter to Philadelphia, 3/26/65;
 Bureau letter to Seattle, 3/29/65;

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ADMINISTRATIVE:

Investigation in this case is being coordinated with [redacted] Secret Service, Seattle, Washington, and a

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- 2 - Seattle (9-1023)

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copy of this report is being sent to the Secret Service at Seattle inasmuch as unknown subject has written a letter to the President of the United States, LYNDON B. JOHNSON.

LEADS

LOS ANGELES DIVISION
At Los Angeles, California

Will obtain additional handwriting specimens from FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS who was arrested on February 26, 1965 and is believed to be presently confined at the Los Angeles County Jail where he is being held after failing to post \$10,000 bond.

FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS should be interviewed to determine if he has any knowledge of the letters which have been written by the unknown subject.

SEATTLE DIVISION
At Seattle, Washington

1. Will report results of handwriting examination after same is received from FBI Laboratory and following this will take necessary investigative steps to identify unknown subject through the investigation at the Virginus Hotel, Compass Center Lutheran Mission and Lenora Apartments.

2. Will maintain contact with [redacted] Seattle Police Department and [redacted] Secret Service, in an effort to identify unknown subject of this case.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: 1 - USA, Seattle
1 - Secret Service, Seattle

Report of: SA [redacted] Office: Seattle, Washington b6
Date: April 8, 1965 b7C

Field Office File #: 9-1023 **Bureau File #:** 9-42073

Title: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
ROBERT S. McNAMARA - VICTIM;
DEAN RUSK - VICTIM;
ADLAI E. STEVENSON - VICTIM;
CHARACTER: THOMAS H. KUCHEL - VICTIM

EXTORTION

Four additional letters written to and received by ADLAI E. STEVENSON, ROBERT S. McNAMARA, DEAN RUSK, and Senator THOMAS H. KUCHEL, all identified with writer of prior letters. All these letters postmarked at Seattle, Washington. The one to ADLAI E. STEVENSON having a return address ~~ANDY JACKSON, 77 Washington Street, Seattle, Washington~~, postmarked 2/8/65; the one to ROBERT S. McNAMARA postmarked Seattle, Washington, 3/1/65 with a return address ~~DAVE WILLINGHAM, 804 Virginia, Seattle, Washington~~; and the one to Senator THOMAS H. KUCHEL postmarked 3/2/65 at Seattle with return address of ~~JACK MONAHAN, 77 Washington Street, Seattle 4, Washington~~. Registers of the Lenora Apartments and Virginus Hotel as well as registration cards from Compass Center Lutheran Mission, 77 Washington, which contain names used by unsub have been forwarded to FBI Laboratory for comparison with letters in effort to identify unsub. FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS arrested by U. S. Secret Service at El Segundo, California on 2/26/65, presently confined in Los Angeles County Jail.

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DETAILS:

Four additional anonymous letters have been identified as having been written by the unknown subject as follows: (1) Anonymous letter directed to ADLAI E. STEVENSON, United Nations, New York City, postmarked, Seattle, Washington, February 8, 1965 with return address ANDY JACKSON, 77 Washington Street, Seattle, Washington.

"U.N. Ambassador Stevenson, New York City,
New York

Adlai Stevenson; I am telling You the real
truth right here in this letter, all You
rotten War Mongers will Be dead before the
End of this year that includes that dirty
rotten murderer and Gangster Johnson -

that rotten S-O-a-B Will die an
awful death believe me, he is the dirtiest rottenest
President we ever had in the White-House. We
must Kill that rotten War Monger and murderer
and Gangster and double crosser and we are going
to Kill that rotteh War Monger. You belong
to the rotten Gangsters and War Mongers that
old Johnson belongs to; he is one of the
rottehest -- War Mongers and murderers in
the World; the -- People hate him all over
the World; We must Kill that War Monger he is
making trouble all over the World; he old
Johnson is a rotten Murderer - and Gangster -
War Monger, he won't live to see the end of
this year we Must Kill that Murderer.

(2) Anonymous letter to ROBERT S. McNAMARA, Secretary of Defense, The White House, Washington, D.C. postmarked Seattle, Washington, March 1, 1965 with return address DAVE WILLINGHAM, 804 Virginia Street, Seattle, Washington.

Robert McNamara: You rotten War Monger -
Murderer - Gangster - We should all By the
Millions Rush up to the White House and take
You and all the rest of the rotten War
Mongers out and Hang You all up and then
riddle You all full of Holes with sawed off
Shot guns and Rifles then Pile You all up
Pour Gasoline on Your rotteh old Bodies and
set You on Fire and Burn You all into ashes
that also includes that rotten old War
Monger Johnson and old Rusk they are all
rotten Murderers and Gangsters and War
Mongers, there is nothing so low down as
those dirty rotten Murderers, and the time
will Come when the Peace loving People will
have to act and do like the Russians did to
that old Scar in Russia.

(3) Anonymous letter to DEAN RUSK, Secretary of State, White House, Washington, D.C. with return address Ed Davis, 212½ Blanchard Street, Seattle, Washington postmarked Seattle, Washington February 26, 1965.

"You Murderer - Gangster and War Monger
Dean Rusk your life is short believe me
Dean Rusk You rotten War Monger - Murderer -
Gangster We Will Get You one of these days
believe me that day is coming Just as sure
as the Sun sets in the West, and all the
other rotten War Mongers Will also Get
Killed. We Know them all. I would sure Hate
to be in those rotten War Mongers Shoes. We
Will Get those rotten War Mongers if it
takes 10 years or longer, but it will never
take that long, all You War Mongers are the
lowest down S o a B on Earth there is
nothing as low down as You rotten War Mongers.
You sure are asking for us to Kill You and
believe me we will Kill You Just as sure as I
am Writing this letter. We sure love to Kill
War Mongers - Murderers like You, this is
the real truth You rotten Murderer - War
Monger. that rotten old Johnson is also on
our list to be Killed he is another rotten
War Monger and Murderer and Gangster he
belongs to the same Gangsters that You do,
You are all on our list to be Killed believe me.

(4) Anonymous letter to Senator THOMAS H. KUCHEL postmarked March 2, 1965, Seattle, Washington with return address JACK MONAHAN, 77 Washington Street, Seattle 4, Washington.

"thomas H. Kuchel - You are an old War
Monger and Gangster. I have Known You all
Your life and You always Was a No Good S o
a B , they should Kill You and It is not
too late Yet. You are a disgrace to the
American People or any other People in the
World, Senator Wayne Morse is a Man With Good
common sense, but You are a Phoney War Monger
and Gangster all You War Mongers are on our
list to be Killed and that Means old Johnson
is also on the list. You War Mongers are asking
for it and You are going to Get Just What You
are asking For. You War Mongers are a Bunch of
trouble Makers and real murderers causing trouble
all over the World the People Hate You all over
the whole World. this is the real truth and We
all Mean every Word We are saying here;

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It is to be noted that from the above letters the one return address, 77 Washington Street, is the Compass Center Lutheran Mission; 212½ Blanchard is listed to the Lenora Apartments; and 804 Virginia is listed to the Virginius Hotel.

The indices of the Seattle Office, records of Seattle Police Department and records of King County Sheriff's Office have been checked to determine if any of the names used by unknown subject in the return address of letters written to victims in captioned matter have been checked with negative results.

On February 17, 1965 Special Agent [redacted] interviewed [redacted] at the Compass Center Lutheran Mission, who checked the files of that mission to determine if a ANDY JACKSON was known to have registered there. This check met with negative results.

On March 1, 1965 [redacted] of the Lenora Apartments, 212½ Blanchard, was contacted to determine if she had ever had any registrant in the apartment by the name of ED DAVIS and a check was made of the hotel register concerning the name of ED DAVIS or any variation thereof with negative results.

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On March 18, 1965 [redacted] furnished the hotel register, copies of which were made from 1961 to the present in order that they may be examined for handwriting purposes. [redacted] stated that the RAYMOND YATES had formerly resided at the Lenora Apartments but has been gone for over six months. She stated that there are approximately 30 rooms for rent in the Lenora Apartments and that they are rented mainly on a weekly or monthly basis. It was noted that the Lenora Apartments is a third or fourth class residence and that it is off the First Avenue area of Seattle which is submarginal rental. It was further noted that [redacted] spoke very limited English being a first generation emigrant. She advised that her [redacted]

[redacted] had handled the rentals up until recently but he had been confined to bed with lung congestion and is too ill to be interviewed. It is noted that telephone number at the Lenora Apartments was Main 2-5744.

On March 31, 1965 Special Agent [redacted] interviewed [redacted] and [redacted] at Virginius Hotel, 804 Virginia,

telephone Mutual 2-0089 and Main 3-9988. [redacted] and [redacted] stated that they are [redacted] and jointly [redacted] the hotel. They advised that they have never heard of any tenant in the hotel of DAVE WILLINGHAM. They voluntarily furnished the hotel register which register was copied from January 1 to March 31 and copies of this register are being forwarded to the FBI Laboratory for handwriting examination. Both [redacted] and [redacted] advised that they did not know of any tenant who was an inveterate letter writer. They stated that while many of their tenants are on relief and are often times behind in their payments, still they did not know any individuals by the names of ED DAVIS, JACK MONOHAN or ANDY JACKSON.

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On March 22, 1965 Special Agent [redacted] contacted [redacted] Compass Center Lutheran Mission, 77 Washington, who checked his files to determine if any of the known names on the return addresses of victim letters might be known to him or if any of the registrants at the Virginus Hotel or the Lenora Apartments might be known to him. He checked his record and determined that a RAYMOND YATES was registered on September 10, 1963 having been born November 17, 1923 and being a truck driver - carpenter by trade. There was no record of YATES since September 10, 1963. A registration card of YATES was copied and is being forwarded to the FBI Laboratory for handwriting examination. His nearest relative was listed as [redacted]. His Social Security number was listed as 403-28-1326.

The following investigation was forwarded by the Philadelphia office by communication dated March 15, 1965.

The Seattle Office advised that the Secret Service, Seattle, suggested as a suspect in this case, one FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS, inasmuch as ROGERS is being sought by the Secret Service as the author of a threatening letter to President NASH JOHNSON. ROGERS was born July 8, 1922 at Sayre, Pennsylvania, and was described as a white male, 5'10", 250 pounds. He is U. S. Army veteran of World War II and has been assigned Veterans Administration number C3049662. Seattle requests at Philadelphia to review the Veterans Administration file pertaining to ROGERS at the Wilkes-Barre office of the Veterans Administration for the purpose of obtaining known handwriting of ROGERS to be forwarded to the FBI Laboratory for comparison with letters previously received in this matter.

[REDACTED]
Veterans Administration, Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania, on March 8, 1965, reviewed the Veterans Administration folder pertaining to FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS, number 03049662. The only known handwriting specimens contained therein were the following three items which are enclosed herewith for the Bureau's information:

- (1) A letter addressed Dear Sirs, dated February 1, 1945 signed FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS
- (2) VA form 572, dated April 28, 1942 containing signature FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS
- (3) VA form 2545, undated, containing signature FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS.

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These three items should be returned to the Philadelphia Office upon completion of comparison by the FBI Laboratory with letters previously received in this case.

[REDACTED] advised that ROGERS has been off the Veterans Administration rolls since 1956 when he failed to report for a physical examination. He had been receiving up to that time a ten per cent disability for a schizophrenic reaction condition. ROGERS' last known address, according to Veterans Administration files, was 101 Fulton Street, Sayre, Pennsylvania. As stated above, the FBI Laboratory, FBI Lab number D-469557IH, is requested to compare the known handwriting of suspect, FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS, with letters previously received in this investigation in the possession of the laboratory. Upon completion of this comparison, the specimens should be returned to the Philadelphia Office which will in turn return them to the Veterans Administration, Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Seattle (9-1023)

Date:

April 20, 1965

Re: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
BARRY GOLDWATER, et al.;
VICTIMS;
EXTORTION
OO: Seattle

Examination requested by:
Seattle

Reference: Letter 4/8/65

Examination requested: Document

Remarks: For your investigative assistance, it is pointed out that in view of the limited and distorted nature of some of the signatures on Qc21 through Qc25 and because of a lack of a sufficient number of letter and word combinations, it was not possible to determine whether any of the writers of the signatures on Qc21 through Qc25 could possibly have prepared Q1 through Q20.

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director
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FBI File No. D-477152 IH
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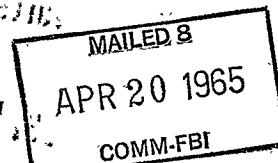
Enclosures (7) (Qc21 through Qc25, 2 Lab report)

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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

To: **FBI, Seattle (9-1023)**

Date: **April 20, 1965**

Re: **UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
BARRY GOLDWATER, et al.,
VICTIMS;
EXTORTION**

FBI File No.

**9-42073
D-477152 IH**

Lab. No.

Specimens received **4/14/65**

- Qc21 Photocopies of eight pages of hotel register of Lenora Apartments bearing handwriting**
- Qc22 Photocopy of registration card dated 5/9/58 in the name "Edward Willingham"**
- Qc23 Photocopies of twenty-six pages of Hotel Register for the Virginus Hotel bearing handwriting**
- Qc24 Photocopy of registration card dated 9/6/63 in the name "Raymond Yates"**
- Qc25 Photocopy of registration card dated 3/19/56 in the name "Eddie Davis"**

Result of examination:

Due to insufficient comparable material and unexplained variations, a definite conclusion could not be reached whether the questioned handwriting on Q1 through Q20 in this case was prepared by any of the persons responsible for the preparation of the signatures appearing on Qc21 through Qc25.

Qc21 through Qc25 have been photographed and are returned to Seattle herewith.

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Re: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
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ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIMS;
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THOMAS H. KUCHEL - VICTIM
EXTORTION

File # 9-42073-48
Lab. # D-477152 IH

Examination requested by: Seattle (9-1023)

L. 4/8/65

Examination requested: Document

Date received: 4/14/65

Result of Examination: 4/14/65

Examination by [redacted]

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(1) Due to my file copy not compl. now,
as regard to the Qc 20 other case by
any of persons recd for going up on Qc 21 →
Qc 25 → C 25st plus d & ref of the one film +
further not of sign on Qc 21 → Qc 25 → [redacted]

Specimens submitted for examination

Qc21 Photocopies of eight pages of hotel register of Lenora Apartments bearing handwriting

Qc22 Photocopy of registration card dated 5/9/58 in the name "Edward Willingham"
of twenty-six pages

Qc23 Photocopies of Hotel Register for the Virginus Hotel bearing handwriting

Qc24 Photocopy of registration card dated 9/6/63 in the name "Raymond Yates"

Qc25 ~~Photocopy~~ Photocopy of registration card dated 3/19/56 in the name "Eddie Davis"

RETURN EVIDENCE

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not pos to determine whether any of
were used which of unless Qc 21 → Qc 25
do possibly have going Qc 21 → Qc 25.*

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42073)
Attention FBI Laboratory

DATE: 4/8/65

FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (9-1023) (P)

SUBJECT: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
ROBERT S. McNAMARA - VICTIM;
DEAN RUSK - VICTIM;
ADLAI E. STEVENSON - VICTIM;
THOMAS H. KUCHEL - VICTIM
EXTORTION
OO: SEATTLE

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Qc21 - Qc25
There is being forwarded herewith 37 separate sheets for handwriting examination which are xerox copies of the following items:

8 pages of hotel register of Lenora Apartments; b6
1 registration card for EDWARD WILLINGHAM; b7C
26 sheets of a hotel register for the Virginus Hotel;
1 registration card for RAYMOND YATES;
1 registration card for EDDIE DAVIS

For the information of Los Angeles office unsub has mailed a series of threatening letters to captioned victims as well as letters to President LYNDON B. JOHNSON and a Seattle city councilman. All were postmarked at Seattle, Washington.

[redacted] Special Agent, Secret Service, Seattle, Washington, has advised that FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS was arrested at El Segundo, California on February 26, 1965 and is presently confined in the Los Angeles County Jail having failed to post \$10,000 bond.

The FBI Laboratory is requested to compare the signatures reflected in captioned submitted hotel registers or registration cards to determine if any of them compare favorably to the known handwriting previously submitted in captioned case. These handwriting specimens were obtained from the Compass Center Lutheran Mission, 77 Washington, Virginus Hotel, 804 Virginia Street, Seattle, Washington and from the Lenora Apartments, 212½ Blanchard, Seattle, Washington which are known return addresses furnished by unsub on various letters previously written to various captioned victims. It

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is to be noted that the Hotel register for the Virginus Hotel was obtained from January 1 to March 31 and that the letter with the return address DAVE WILLINGHAM, 804 Virginia, Seattle 1, was postmarked March 1, 1965. It is further noted that the letter sent to DEAN RUSK was postmarked Seattle, Washington, February 26, 1965 with the return address ED DAVIS, 212½ Blanchard Street, Seattle, Washington. The investigative effort has been directed to the comparing of registrations at the Virginus Hotel, Lenora Apartments and the Compass Lutheran Mission, 77 Washington, which is the return address which was given on other letters sent to captioned victims. It is believed that the unsub may have signed his true name at one of these places either prior or subsequent to the writing of the letter which letter contained a fictitious name. In this regard the hotel registers have been checked with negative results concerning the return address and name given on the particular letters. The name RAYMOND YATES on the card from the Compass Center Lutheran Mission is also found on the register of the Virginus Hotel. The name EDDIE DAVIS on the card of the Compass Lutheran Mission is the name used by unsub in the return address on the letter sent from 212½ Blanchard, which is the Lenora Apartments. The name EDWARD WILLINGHAM found at the Compass Senter Lutheran Mission have been submitted inasmuch as the name WILLINGHAM is an unusual name and was used with a first name variation on the letter submitted by unsub from the Virginus Hotel.

It is requested that after the examination is made the specimens be returned to the Seattle Office.

In covering the lead for obtaining additional handwriting samples from FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS the Los Angeles Office will be furnished with additional background information b6 in report of SA [redacted] at Seattle dated April 8, 1965. b7c

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EXTORTION

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Examination requested: Seattle (9-1023)

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Examination requested: Document

Date received: 4/14/65

Result of Examination:

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Specimens submitted for examination

- Qc21 Photocopies of eight pages of hotel register of Lenora Apartments bearing handwriting
- Qc22 Photocopy of registration card dated 5/9/58 in the name "Edward Willingham"
of twenty-six pages
- Qc23 Photocopies of Hotel Register for the Virginus Hotel bearing handwriting
- Qc24 Photocopy of registration card dated 9/6/63 in the name "Raymond Yates?"
- Qc25 ~~Photo/copy~~ Photocopy of registration card dated 3/19/56 in the name "Eddie Davis"

RETURN EVIDENCE

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Los Angeles (9-3228)

Date: April 30, 1965

Re: UNSUB;
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA,
et al. VICTIMS
EXTORTION

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

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Lab. No. D-477752 IH

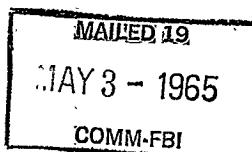
Examination requested by: Los Angeles

Reference: Letter 4/19/65

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Examination requested: Document

Remarks:



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Enclosures (4) (K9, one photocopy of Kc10, 2 Lab report)
2 - Seattle (9-1023) Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)

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REPORT
of theFEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Los Angeles (9-3228)

Re: UNSUB;
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA,
et al. VICTIMS
EXTORTION

Date: April 30, 1965
FBI File No. 9-42073
Lab. No. D-477752 IH

Specimens received 4/21/65

K9 Sheet of paper bearing handwriting of FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS

Kc10 Two photocopies of sheet of paper bearing handwriting of FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS

ALSO SUBMITTED: Photocopy of K9

Result of examination:

Due to insufficient comparable known handwriting, a definite conclusion could not be reached whether the questioned handwriting on the specimens previously submitted in this case was prepared by the writer of K9 and Kc10. Nothing of particular significance was noted as a result of the comparison of K9 and Kc10 with the questioned writing on the material previously submitted.

K9 and one photocopy of Kc10 are returned herewith. One photocopy of Kc10 and the ALSO SUBMITTED material are retained.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

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Re: UNSUB;
~~BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;~~
~~ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM; et al.~~
~~DEAN RUSK - VICTIM;~~
~~ADLAI E. STEVENSON - VICTIM~~
~~THOMAS H. KUCHEL - VICTIM~~
EXTORTION (OO: Seattle)

File # 9-42073-49
Lab. # D-477752 IH

Examination requested by: Los Angeles (9-3228)

L. 4/19/65

Examination requested: Document

Date received: 4/21/65

Result of Examination:

Examination

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① Den Di coffee cup found in K9. One egg of Kc10 found on spars one side this cone by Rogers, Kg + Kc10
Nothing of particular significance noted.
One egg of Kc10 found
② Kg + Kc10 returned back to Lab. One egg of Kc10 also Sub retained

Specimens submitted for examination

K9 Sheet of paper bearing handwriting of FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS

Kc10 Two photocopies of sheet of paper bearing handwriting of FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS

Also Sub photocopy of Kg

2 - Seattle (9-1023)

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42073)

FROM : *Wh* SAC, LOS ANGELES (9-3228) (P)

SUBJECT: *KA, Kc10 C*

DATE: 4/19/65

ATTENTION:
FBI LABORATORY

UNSUB;
 BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
 ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM;
 DEAN RUSK - VICTIM;
 ADLAI E. STEVENSON - VICTIM
 THOMAS H. KUCHEL - VICTIM
 EXTORTION
 OO: SEATTLE

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Rerep of SA [redacted] dated 4/8/65 at Seattle.

On 4/15/65, FRANCIS J. ROGERS, a suspect in this case, was interviewed at the Los Angeles County Jail, Los Angeles, California and furnished one-page handwriting specimens to SAs [redacted] and [redacted]

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Kc10 The original and one Xerox copy of the above handwriting specimens are being furnished the FBI Laboratory for comparison purposes in this case.

Kc10 Also submitted for the FBI Laboratory are 2 Xerox copies of handwriting specimens of ROGERS obtained by [redacted] Special Agent, U. S. Secret Service, Los Angeles, on 2/27/65, at which time he arrested and interviewed ROGERS.

On 4/15/65 [redacted] furnished Xerox copies of his report concerning ROGERS dated 3/11/65.

Submitted as an enclosure for Seattle is one copy of [redacted] report.

EX 110

③ - Bureau (Enc. 4) (REGISTERED)
 2 - Seattle (9-1023) (Enc. 1)
 1 - Newark (Info)
 2 - Los Angeles

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It is noted that Secret Service records, Los Angeles, contain the following employment record of ROGERS:

9/30/64 - 2/27/65	Standard Oil Company, c/o SS WASHINGTON, as an oiler
April, 1964 - September, 1964	Compass Mission, Seattle, Washington, as a Day Laborer
November, 1963 - April, 1964	Pan Oceanic Company, 6th and Broadway, New York, New York as an oiler
(No dates)	Lee Huston Snake Show, DeSoto Trailer Park, Tampa, Florida, as manager

He admitted to Secret Service that he was the author of a post card to the Chief of Police, Pittsburgh, Pa., in September, 1964, which contained a threat against the life of The President. He was arrested by Secret Service, Los Angeles, on 2/26/65 and arraigned before the U. S. Commissioner, 3/1/65. When interviewed on 4/15/65, he advised SAs [] and [] that he intended to plead guilty on 4/19/65. It is further noted he became emotional in discussing his case and cried on several occasions when he related the judge was unfair in denying him custody of his child. He indicated he has had mental aberrations.

A copy of this letter is furnished the Newark Office inasmuch as Newark considered ROGERS a suspect in their case captioned, "UNSUB, aka []; ADMIRAL DAVID L. MC DONALD - VICTIM; EXTORTION," 00: NEWARK (IA file 9-3224). It would appear ROGERS is not a logical suspect in this Newark case.

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Secret Service Agent [] advised that he strongly believes ROGERS is suffering from a mental illness, and if he had written any other letters threatening individuals, he would admit to these letters.

When interviewed by FBI Agents at Los Angeles on 4/16/65, ROGERS stated that he only sends post cards and does not write letters.

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No further investigation is being conducted by this office in the above Newark case.

An FD-302 pertaining to interview of ROGERS will be furnished the Seattle Office.

The FBI Laboratory is requested to compare handwriting specimens of ROGERS submitted as enclosures with the handwriting of UNSUB in this case.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: UNSUB;
BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM;
DEAN RUSK - VICTIM;
ADLAI E. STEVENSON - VICTIM
THOMAS H. KUCHEL - VICTIM
EXTORTION (OO: Seattle)

Examination requested by: Los Angeles (9-3228)

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File # 9-42073-49
Lab. # D-477752 IH

Examination requested:

Document

L. 4/19/65

Date received: 4/21/65

Result of Examination:

Examination by:

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Specimens submitted for examination

K9 Sheet of paper bearing handwriting of FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS

Kc10 Two photocopies of sheet of paper bearing handwriting of FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS

2 - Seattle (9-1023)

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI (9-42073) DATE: 5/14/65

FROM : SAC, Philadelphia (9-2600) (RUC)

SUBJECT:

UNSUB

BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
ROBERT S. MC NAMARA - VICTIM;
DEAN RUSK - VICTIM;
ADLAI E. STEVENSON - VICTIM;
EXTORTION

(OO:Seattle)

Re Bureau letter to Philadelphia dated 3/26/65.

Referenced communication contains the results
of examination by the FBI Laboratory of handwriting speci-
mens submitted by the Philadelphia Office of FRANCIS JAMES
ROGERS, a suspect in this investigation. *Pet.*

The Laboratory advised that due to the difference
in time and the preparation of the questioned material and
because of unexplained variations, a definite conclusion
could not be reached whether the questioned handwriting on
the evidence previously submitted in this case was prepared
by FRANCIS JAMES ROGERS.

The Bureau requested that attempts should be made
to obtain additional known handwriting prepared by ROGERS.

On 5/7/65, [redacted]
Veterans Administration, Wilkes-Barre, Pa., and [redacted]
[redacted], Veterans Administration,
Wilkes-Barre, Pa., advised SA [redacted] that they have
exhaustively reviewed all records of this agency for any additional
handwriting of ROGERS; however, no such handwriting could be
located.

2-Bureau (9-42073)
2-Seattle (9-1023) EX-116
1-Philadelphia (9-2600)

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Seattle (9-1023)

Date: June 9, 1965

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Re: Unsub, BARRY GOLDWATER,
ROBERT S. McNAMARA; et al. -
VICTIMS
EXTORTION

OO: Seattle

Examination requested by: Seattle

Reference: Letter 5/28/65

Examination requested: Document

Remarks:

For your investigative assistance, it is pointed out that some handwriting differences were noted in the questioned material in this case when compared with K11. Additional known handwriting of [redacted] is of doubtful value in this case.

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

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FBI File No. 9-42073-51
Lab. No. D-480687 IH

EX-1011

Enclosures (3) (K11, 2 Lab report)

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COMM-FBI

RECEIVED DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
6-10-65

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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

To: **FBI, Seattle (9-1023)**

Date:
FBI File No.
Lab. No.

June 9, 1965
9-42073
D-480687 IH

Re: **Unsub, BARRY GOLDWATER,
ROBERT S. McNAMARA; et al. -
VICTIMS
EXTORTION**

Specimens received **6/1/65**

**K11 Envelope and one-page letter bearing the purported known
handwriting of** [redacted]

Result of examination:

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**Due to insufficient comparable material and unexplained
variations, a definite conclusion could not be reached whether
[redacted] K11, prepared any of the questioned handwriting
on the evidence submitted in this case.**

**K11 has been photographed and is returned to Seattle
herewith.**

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DeLoach _____
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Evans _____
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Sullivan _____
Tavel _____
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Re: Unsub, BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
ROBERT S. McNAMARA - VICTIM; et al Victim
DEAN RUSK - VICTIM;
~~ADELAINE STEVENSON - VICTIM;~~
~~THOMAS H. KUCHEL - VICTIM~~

File #
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EXTORTION

OO: Seattle
Examination requested by: Seattle (9-1023)

5/28/65

Examination requested: Document

Date received: 6/1/65

Result of Examination: 6/7/65

Examination by

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in of [] f. dabs + fed value)
② K11 phot'd + ret'd

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Specimens submitted for examination

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K11 Envelope and one-page letter bearing the known handwriting
of []

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42073)
Attention: FBI Laboratory

FROM : *M.W.* SAC, SEATTLE (9-1023) (-P-)

DATE: 5/28/65

SUBJECT: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
ROBERT S. McNAMARA - VICTIM;
DEAN RUSK - VICTIM;
ADLAIR E. STEVENSON - VICTIM;
THOMAS H. KUCHEL - VICTIM
EXTORTION
OO: SEATTLE

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There is being forwarded herewith one (1) sealed evidence envelope containing handwriting specimen of [redacted] which appears to be somewhat similar to the extortion letters received in this case. It is requested that appropriate examination be made of this letter and the results furnished the Seattle Office. This letter should be returned to the Seattle Office following its comparison with the extortion letters in this case which are on file at the Bureau.

3 - Bureau (Enc. 1) (REG)
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Re: Unsub, BARRY GOLDWATER - VICTIM;
ROBERT S. McNAMARA - VICTIM;
DEAN RUSK - VICTIM;
ADLAI E. STEVENSON - VICTIM;
THOMAS H. KUCHEL - VICTIM
EXTORTION

OO: Seattle
Examination requested by: Seattle (9-1023)

No Lab File
9-42078-5
File #
Lab. # D-480687 IH

5/28/65

Examination requested: Document

Date received: 6/1/65

Result of Examination:

Examination by:

*Specimen received
6-9-65
JMB/Spab*

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file*

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Specimens submitted for examination

Kill Envelope and one-page letter bearing the known handwriting
of xxx

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42073)

DATE: 6/2/65

FROM *W.H.S.* SAC, LOS ANGELES (9-3228) (RUC)

SUBJECT: UNSUB; BARRY GOLDWATER -
 VICTIM;
 ROBERT S. MC NAMARA -
 VICTIM;
 DEAN RUSK -
 VICTIM;
 ADLAI E. STEVENSON -
 VICTIM;
 THOMAS H. KUCHEL -
 VICTIM
 EXTORTION

OO: Seattle

Re Los Angeles letter to Bureau dated 4/19/65 and
 FBI Laboratory letter to Los Angeles dated 4/30/65.

On 5/6/65 [redacted], USA's Office, Los Angeles, advised that FRANCIS J. ROGERS (a suspect in this case) plead guilty in U. S. District Court, Los Angeles on 4/19/65. On 5/19/65 [redacted] added that ROGERS on 5/17/65 appeared in U. S. District Court, Los Angeles and was sentenced to five years' for violation of Title 18, Section 871 (Threats Against the President). He was sentenced under Section 4208C, in order to receive psychiatric study for 90 days. He will return to U. S. District Court, Los Angeles for modification of sentence.

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It is noted that Secret Service, Los Angeles is handling the case pertaining to ROGERS and that ROGERS will probably be located at the Federal Correctional Institution, Lompoc, California, during the 90 days' study.

- ② - Bureau
- 2 - Seattle (9-1023)
- 1 - Los Angeles

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As pointed out in referenced letter, ROGERS is not a logical suspect in this case.

In view of the above, no further investigation is being conducted by the Los Angeles Office in this matter.

June 30, 1965

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1 - Mr. O. H. Bartlett
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1 - Mr. Conley

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REC-3

To: SAC, Seattle (9-1023)
From: Director, FBI (9-42073) - 53
Subject: UNSUB, AKA
ANDY JACKSON
BARRY GOLDWATER, ET AL - VICTIMS
EXTORTION
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ReSElet to the Bureau 4/8/65.

By letter dated 6/21/65, the Office of Security, Department of State, furnished to the Bureau an anonymous letter directed to Adlai Stevenson, c/o the United Nations, New York City. This letter, which is similar in vein to the other letters written in captioned case, was postmarked at Seattle 6/14/65, p.m., and the envelope bears the return address of Box 528, Seattle 1, Washington.

Appropriate examination is being made of this current letter by the FBI Laboratory and the Latent Fingerprint Section of the Identification Division, and the results of the examinations will be forwarded separately to your office along with appropriate copies of instant letter.

JAC:bss
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NOTE: Since March, 1964, a number of Government officials, including Adlai Stevenson have received threatening-type letters which not only threaten the individual recipient, but also President Johnson. All letters have been mailed in Seattle bearing fictitious addresses and utilizing addresses where the individual has not been established as residing therein. We have been maintaining close liaison with Secret Service as the President has also received letters from this same unknown person.

The Laboratory requested to make appropriate copies of the letter in question and forward same to the Seattle Office along with results of the Laboratory examination.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Re: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
~~ANONYMOUS LETTER TO~~
ADLAI STEVENSON + others - Victims
Esther

NC File AB FILE Q-42073
Lab. # D-482397 b7H

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Examination requested by:

Examination requested: Dept of State
Office of Security

Date received: 6/24/65

Result of Examination: Document - Fingerprint

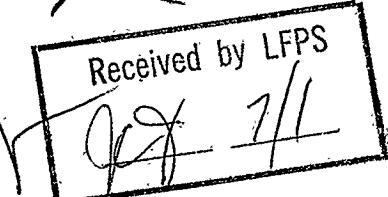
Examination by: 6/23/65

LFPS return material to

Doc Lab + to be retained
see and keep file until 27

Answer to Seattle, (Q-1023)

Specimens submitted for examination



Specimens examined & returned to Lab 7-8-65 pm

Q26 Envelope postmarked "SEATTLE, WASH. 1B JUN 14 1965 PM," bearing hand printed address "Adlai Stevenson, U.N. Ambassador, United Nations, New York City, New York"

Q27 Accompanying one-page handwritten letter beginning "Adlai Stevenson, U.N. Ambassador; We want to let...." and ending "...that murderer Johnson;"

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JUN 25 1965

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